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BRIGHT LETTER OF DARK CONTINENT

MRS STRAW GIVES A MOST INTERESTING ACCOUNT OF AFRICAN LIFE.

She Hasn't Seen a White Woman For Months—Coffee Farm a Beautiful Picture.

After having lived in Africa thirteen months, I can possibly give a better idea of the real conditions here, than I did shortly after my arrival.

On first arriving here, after one has seen some of the busy world in naturally are impressed with the slowness of things. It seems to be in opposition to the general make up of the African to hustle. The slower they can move and the more time they can kill the better they like it.

After having been here sometime these first impressions gradually disappear. There is very little change from year to year. Heavy wooden carts and oxen are all I have seen in the way of travel. And only the rich, so to speak, own them. I think, however, there are a few horses in Liberia but they are very scarce and do not live long in this climate.

As to society, I have not seen a white woman since last August, and have seen only ten or twelve white men since I landed at Monrovia.

Our mail is usually six weeks old when it reaches us. I have had thirteen months of continuous summer. Such things as snow and ice are unknown here. Last winter while we were having such cold weather, yet I rather think I prefer it as we had it, to such extremely cold weather.

In Dr. Day's time they had, for a short time, a little machine to make ice. A story is told of a native man, who was watching the boys making ice, when one stepped up to him and put a piece down his back. He ran and screamed: "Fire! Fire! It burns me, daddy!"

There are many new and strange fruits here. At first I did not like them so well, but one soon learns to like them, now I know of no fruit I do not like quite well.

Thousands and thousands of coffee blossoms are out just now and the whole atmosphere is filled with fragrance very much like the odor of tube roses. The blossoms are very pretty—pure white and waxy in appearance. It is a beautiful sight to look out over the coffee farm and see its mantle of green and white. Sometimes if we are not feeling so well the odor is too strong for us.

In glancing out my window a few minutes ago, I saw one of the farm hands coming up the path with our oil stove on his head and was carrying something in either hand. It almost made me nervous to look at him, but he was as unconcerned as if there could be no possible danger. Most everything is carried on the head. It is no uncommon sight to see a woman carry a large burden on her head, a bundle in either hand, a baby on her back and a large pipe in her mouth.

The real natives regard us, white people, as water nymphs, especially since all the white men they see do not shave in this climate but wear long beards.

I was amused some time ago. I was on our back piazza shampooing my head when some native women came up to the mission. They were so surprised to see my long hair and at first were half inclined to fear me. Gradually they grew a little bolder and asked to touch my hair. They stroked my hair and felt my head to see if I was a real being or not and finally said, "Ah mammy be water woman sure."

The principal food of the African is rice. Give them rice and some oil made out of the palm nut and they are satisfied. They like meats too, and are constantly hunting and fishing. I am not surprised they want meats. I do not see how they get much strength from rice, or cassada. Some of them live and grow fat on it.

The government, which is modeled after that of the United States, is very weak. They can make laws but have very little power to enforce them.

Back from the coast of Liberia, the republic is peopled with warlike natives who are constantly warring with each other, killing the men, prisoners and making slaves of the women and children.

They live in towns or half towns and each tribe has their king. In making a trip through these towns you must always stop and consult the king or have a palaver with him as he calls it. If you want to stay all night you simply ask the king. He always finds you a place to sleep, in most cases they have a house for this purpose at the edge of their town.

Of course for all this kindness you

must "Dash" him "plenty" or you will not be permitted to go further. Sometimes these kings hold people for weeks or more and any attempt on your part to leave would mean death or imprisonment.

The king has any number of wives. Any man coming along and wanting to marry one of the king's wives can do so, if he pays the king a certain sum of money or its equivalent, but he must settle down in the king's town and be in a sense the king's slave. If the king's men or women refuse to obey the slightest whim of his, their heads are taken off.

In most of the African tribes will be found some secret society. In the tribes these societies are known by the names Belli and Sandi. The former is the society of males and the latter of females. In English the word Belli means Gri-Gri-Bush. The society always meets in the densest forest or bush during the initiation, which takes from forty days to three or four years. The leader or Gri-Gri-Devil remains in the bush with those being instructed. The society takes the form of a school, where they are taught tribal laws and customs and incidentally the folk-lore which is very extensive.

When the Gri-Gri-Devil is passing through the towns the women are told to enter their homes, let down the mats at the door and cover their faces. Should they get a glimpse of him they would immediately be put to death.

The boys who do not wish to enter this institution try to hide; should they catch a glimpse of him however, they must at once follow him, as one of his pupils.

Everyone must carry on their person the brand of the society. This generally consists of curved cuts down either side of the spine and around the waist line, which are said to be the marks of the teeth of the Gri-Gri-Devil.

The "turning out" before the public generally takes the form of wild dancing. The members dress in hoops suspended from the shoulders and hung with a fringe of the bamboo. A high and fancy head dress is worn from which are suspended green strings of feathery vegetation, while around their necks, arms and ankles are Gri-Gri charms.

The music of the society is made on drums of hollow logs, suspended from poles and beaten with pieces of bamboo.

Our workers are all in good health at present. Shortly before X-Mas Mr. Straw took a little walk of thirty-two (32) miles in one day. I am sure many in the home land could not do so well.

I hope my readers will not be too critical. If they know how little time we have for writing and how often we are interrupted they would not for a moment think of criticising what is said in hurry of writing. I am willing to write, providing I can interest some one in behalf of these poor heathen.

Sending the African greeting to all my readers. "How do plenty?" I remain.

Yours in the Master's service.

NELLIE CASIMAN STRAW.

P. S.—The Compiler is certainly a welcome guest in our home. Muhlenberg Mission. N. C. S.

Death of William Grew.

William Grew, a frequent visitor at the home of Col. Collis in this place during the latter life and who was a favorite with every one who knew or met him, died in Philadelphia recently, respected and honored.

William Grew was born at Philadelphia January 28th, 1843, obtained his education in the public schools, enlisted August 5th, 1862, in Company I, 114th Pa. Vol., Collis Zouaves; took part in the battles of Fredericksburg, Chancellorsville, Gettysburg, Manassas Gap, The Wilderness, Spotsylvania Court House, Cold Harbor and Petersburg, and was honorably mustered out of service May 29th, 1865.

He read law in the office of the late Joseph W. Thomas, Esq., and was admitted to the Philadelphia Bar January 9th, 1869; was appointed Assistant City Solicitor under General Charles H. T. Collis, under whom he served two terms; was appointed Sheriff, Solicitor to Sheriff Keim, and also served in that capacity under Sheriffs Rowan, Ridgway, Connell, Clement, Crow, Hartman and Miles until the day of his death, June 10th, 1904.

Mr. Grew was a most capable, painstaking and industrious official. His congenial nature and readiness to assist the members of the Bar, as to the practice in the Sheriff's office, of which he was a past master, was keenly appreciated, made him a popular man, and his position will be hard to fill. In his death, a family has lost a devoted father, the community an honest and upright citizen, and the Philadelphia Bar has lost one who was ever true to its traditions and ethics.



PICKETT'S CHARGE, BATTLE OF GETTYSBURG

THE STORY OF THE BATTLE

BY A CITIZEN WHOSE HOME WAS PIERCED BY FLYING SHELLS

Some of the Things the People of the Town Went Through and What They Were Called Upon to Suffer.

BY C. M. W. FOSTER.

Of the Battle of Gettysburg you have all read and heard more than I would undertake to repeat. And the incidents, experienced by citizens, marvelous and miraculous, will never all be told or heard, even by those of us, who have lived here all our lives. But some of these as known and experienced by ourselves and friends we propose briefly to relate.

To President Lincoln's first call for 75,000 men for three months, Adams county promptly responded and our first regiment was led out by some of the best men of Gettysburg, Col. C. H. Buehler, Dr. Fahnestock and John Culp who reached a good age. But more men and more time being repeatedly required until the willing response chimed from every loyal State "we're coming coming Father Abraham 300,000 more." Then all our homes and hearths were vacated by their able bodied fathers, brothers and sons. This seemed to be an opportune occasion for invasion and foraging. For weeks the approaching of Rebels though strategic and stealthy was heard of or felt. Hundred of horses in droves from the neighboring counties of Maryland were hurried via Gettysburg to the north of the Susquehanna river for safety. These were kept moving back and forth according to the denial or revival of the report "The Rebels are coming." until eventually the "camp fires" were in sight.

Then our town became an isolated spot, none came in to bring us tidings good or bad, and no one ventured out, excepting as the suspense grew intolerable, to which the battle itself proved a relief; two of our professional citizens still disbelieving the nearness of the rebels in force, decided to ride out on horseback until they would learn something reliable. They went on the Chambersburg road as far as Cash-town, which is eight miles distant, located at the foot of South Mountains. There they alighted and went in to a hotel to make some inquiry. They were inside only a few minutes, when a squad of rebel cavalry was capturing their horses. One of the gentlemen, reputed as the wealthiest man of our town, perhaps county as well, had ridden the family pony, which was a household idol. And now under the impulse of an anxious hope for the pony's comfort hastened out and apparently generously made a presentation of the pony to Gen. Wade Hampton. A few days later, the Rebels having taken possession of Gettysburg, this man with his family left their home and traveling on foot to go outside the battle lines, five miles from town, crossed the path of their pony, mounted by the General.

But these two gentlemen returned to town, walking, thus bringing the incontrovertible evidence that they had seen the Rebels. Probably it was next day when the rebels first appeared in sight of town and retreated but we will not stop to describe scenes enacted then and on their first entrance on June 28th when they captured a part of our militia, which they claimed to have found stored in hogheads, in barns, &c., and boldly hoisted the Confederate flag over our town, playing Dixie tunes in our court house. But

next day they passed on toward Harrisburg.

Still we felt surrounded and could hear nothing of our armies or soldiers, until noon of Sabbath, June 28, then two regiments of cavalry under Gen. Compland's command entered our town. This opened the front doors and windows of our houses and brought out old and young, afflicted and feeble, to hail the Union soldiers with songs and shouts and fed them with bread and pie. And now we felt assured that the government and Union army were keeping an eye on Gen. Reb. If not on the little quiet town of Gettysburg. But early Monday morning our reconnoitering guardians marched on their way, in the opposite direction from the enemy and the sombre cloud of suspense and dread enveloped us more densely than before.

For several weeks our business houses had been closed. Goods and banking property had been sent to Philadelphia. Prominent men (not liable to service) had fled, such as the venerable Dr. Snucker, whose books and sermons on slavery had made his name odious as far south as the "slave block and chain" were known. And not only such men fled, but 500 of our population were colored people who feared the southern rebels more than death. They played hiding and peeping all this time. If time permitted we might insert some curious scenes which occurred among them.

But we pass on to June 30, when about noon of the day our hearts and spirits were again revived by the entrance of Buford's cavalry 6,000 strong, coming from the direction of Emmitsburg and passing through Washington street by the college to a grove adjoining and there halting to meet or be attacked by the enemy. With these 6,000 cavalry between us and the enemy we thought the battle was as good as begun, fought and won.

Next morning, July 1st, when pickett firing commenced, we went up on our western balconies to see the maneuvering. A number of cavalry officers stood on the Chambersburg road on Seminary Ridge facing the enemy, whom we also saw facing the former from Harr's Hill, a mile further on the same road. They viewed each other ten or fifteen minutes. Then the rebels retreated from our view down the farther side of the hill and ours turned toward the town dashing and flying over fences and fields in every direction, like a shower of meteors.

The artillery began to play and the shells to whiz over our heads. The students who had to the present time remained in the Seminary, as well as the occupants of other buildings on the ridge, came running to town at a speed greater than double quick. Old Lady Thompson, however, at Lee's Headquarters, never deserted her house during the entire battle. Her son and family, consisting of wife and two children, the younger but one day old, also remained in their house until the afternoon when it was filled with wounded and dying men of the 1st Corps, then they started, carrying their children. They were passed through the rebel lines to the rear and they all survived to tell the tale.

About an hour, perhaps less time, before General Reynolds fell, he halted at our balcony, requesting us to go to our cellar, at the same time inquiring for the Taneytown road, but this being our first battle experience we neither realized our danger nor obeyed the order. We watched the left wing forming as they came up to the ridge, the shells still whizzing over us, until the infantry of the 11th Corps began to

pass by our front on Washington street.

Our attention was then called to the pleading for water. They had not time to stop to drink, but we poured in their buckets as they passed at double quick. Frequently the officers spoke to us, requesting us to bring them no more water, adding they must not take time to drink. And though the men felt they were rushing forward to the cannon's mouth thirsty and weary, yet their loyal, buoyant spirits overflowed in expressions of greetings like this: "We are coming home to fight the rebels from your doors and we'll drive them or we'll die." Ah! How many of these brave men died that day we need not stop to tell.

A few minutes after we left the balcony it was struck by a twelve pound ball, demolishing roof and ceiling. Two hours we carried water to the front door and pouring it in their tin cups. Then came the retreat, no one asayed for water, though the officers still halted at our doors urging us to go to our cellars, but as we had not been hit yet, we did not heed, any further than respect for them induced us to retire till they had passed.

As the artillery wagons, cavalry and infantry dashed along, pell-mell upon each other, we did not observe them dropping into nooks or corners wherever an opening offered. The last time we were told to go to the cellar, we inquired what this meant, they replied, "Don't be alarmed, we are only changing fronts." We as usual stepped back till they who entreated us to go to the cellar had passed. Again we opened the door and horses and men were falling before us under the enemy's charge and the bullets grazing our own clothes. We retired, locked our front door and started for the cellar where we had securely lodged our aged parents.

Passing through to the inner cellar door we spied a soldier crouched in the back door. We inquired whether he was wounded; he said not seriously. We told him we were going to seek refuge in the cellar. Said he, "If you invite me I will go too." We said, "Come."

But not comprehending the extremity, our anxiety over the disorder in the street prevailing, we hastened to the cellar window. In a moment there was an open space of probably thirty yards. Then came the rebel charge, furiously yelling and firing. The situation flashed upon us and our hearts sank. One of us cried, "Oh, the rebels are taking our men."

In this moment of time our soldier had concealed his gun in a stove pipe in a corner and his knapsack in the ashes of a fireplace, himself crouched under a fruit bench, near a pile of kindling. He called to us, "Never mind, it will all come right, only come cover me up." Eagerly we commenced our work, but before we had it well done, the outer cellar door opened, and a rebel officer with two privates came down and inquired:

"Are there any Yankees here?" In this unexpected emergency, we had no time for deliberation, hence acted impulsively. One of us approached the Capt. saying "We are all here, suppose you call us all Yankees."

But not attempting to conceal our anxiety he spoke kindly and said "I meant Yankee soldiers, we came so close on them they ran into houses and sheds whenever they could." But before he expected a second reply, he asked, "Have you any fire-arms?" We told him there was a pistol (I

never thought of or had seen the Yankee's gun). We sent our father up stairs to get it for we durst not leave the scene. The Capt. continued conversing pleasantly whilst the others reconnoitered around the cellar stirring with their guns every loose article. We stood carelessly with back toward the soldier, till they came near him, then knowing he was not well covered, one of us sprang between him and them, assuming our anxiety to be on our own and parents behalf, said to them "What are you going to do?" The Capt called them to pass on, adding, "All is right here." Then said to us they will have to search the house up stairs and invited us to accompany them and see that they do no harm. But we were so glad to get them out of the cellar, we said "Go where you please, we are in your power." One of us however did go and see them through. One of our attic windows was open which led them to suspect sharp shooters there. Hence every hour or two a new squad came in and rushed up to the attic.

When the rebels came in the State road on their flanking movement on our right, they came so close that in the retreat of the balance of the 1st and 11th corps the men ran into houses and stables and hid in closets, fireplaces and any place they could reach. But the rebels rushing after them led them out by dozens, captives for Libby and Andersonville prisons. 2500 is the estimate of the number captured at the time. Among the prisoners taken during the siege were three citizens of our town and vicinity, who were liberated from Libby prison and sent home a year later. Two of them were not recognizable to their families and friends. The other never seemed to recognize his home. He died a mute, two weeks after his arrival.

After the retreat, Howard with his remaining force having taking position on Cemetery Hill and our town a mass of rebels, the latter played a ruse to get possession of some of our houses. They told us that they had been notified by the Yankees that the town would be shelled before night. My father and a cousin then in our house were very anxious to leave. She had arrived a few weeks before from Westmoreland county for the purpose of attending our Female Seminary.

She had a large trunk containing her wardrobe probably provided for the most of a year to come. This she at once commenced to analyze, and after putting two full suits on her person with a number of extras, she secured a long pillow, rather bolster case, then commenced packing and stuffing it and she succeeded in stowing in to it and an ordinary sized box every article of her goods. Taking one under each arm and casting a wishful eye back on her trunk she started for the door, encouraged and followed by my father, who was willing to leave all to go outside the battle lines.

They succeeded in getting the rest of us outside and doors locked behind us. But what then? Where and how could we go? I spied a neighbor at his door and ran to him, requesting him to aid in dissuading my father. Together we succeeded. We returned to our house and cellar, contented to share the fate of our Yankee, and trust the Supreme One with the results.

The Rebels appeared to be acquainted with the contemplated plans and being communicative always apprised us of the hours and place when engagements would be resumed. This gave us some comfort, for instance on the morning of the 2nd day they told us there would be no serious fighting unless attacked strategically before 4 o'clock, p. m.

The night of the first we spent watching the picket firing. About day break, we heard some one trying to enter the house by the back door. We believed they were roughs and hasten to meet them, to prevent their breaking in. On opening the door two ill looking men, supposed to be Louisiana Tigers entered and demanded a light to search for Yankees. We informed them the house had been satisfactorily searched by their officers the day before. But they swore at the officers, saying they would search for themselves. One of us made an errand to the cellar, proposing to get them a light, at the same time more solicitous to see that the Yankee was still secure.

While absent my father entered the room. They approached him and presenting a gun to his breast demanded \$50. He told them he had not that amount in the house. Then said they "Give us what you have." He took out his pocket book and was about opening it but they demanded it en-

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL.

—J. L. Schick has returned from an extended visit.

—R. C. Flaherty was a visitor in town over Sunday.

—The Misses Danner spent Monday in Emmitsburg.

—Harry Evans, of Phila., is a visitor at the home of Mrs. Van Cleave.

—Gus. Culp, of Virginia Mills, was in town on a business trip last week.

—Miss Carrie McCreary, of Baltimore is the guest of Miss Virginia O'Neal.

—Miss Lizzie Mertz, of Phila., is visiting her mother, Chambersburg Street.

—Mrs. Sarah Monfort and daughter Miss Jennie left on Tuesday for Springtown, Pa.

—We are glad to note that Dr. E. S. Bridenbaugh who has been ill is very much better.

—John Crow, of Uniontown, Pa., is a guest at the home of his aunt Mrs. Van Cleave.

—Rev. John Codori, of Elisabethtown, made a short visit to his mother last week.

—Miss Cassandra McClellan, of York, made her Aunt, Mrs. Baugher a visit last week.

—Miss Nellie Weaver and Miss Louise Stahlke spent several days in Abbottstown last week.

—Mrs. Henry Galtwhith has returned from a pleasure trip to Arendsville and other places.

—Mrs. R. E. Culp and daughters, Maggie and Helen, were visiting in York Springs last week.

—Miss Berthe Hummer, of Muncasburg, spent last week at the home of John H. Stable, York St.

—Mrs. E. Large and daughter Katherine of Yami Mi farm were in Gettysburg last week.

—We were presented by Mr. Joseph Scott with a box of as fine berries as we have seen. Accept thanks.

—Rev. L. S. Rice went to Keedysville, Monday morning, to attend funeral of a former parishioner.

—Maurice E. and Frederick E. Griest, of Guernsey, Pa., graduated from Swarthmore, Tuesday last.

—Mrs. Gobrecht has moved from her rooms, on Carlisle St., to Mrs. Earnshaw's house on Balto. St.

—Miss Annie McPherson has returned from Phila. where she attended the Bergner-McPherson wedding.

—Miss Josephine Reindollar of Taneytown took the mead on the oratorical contest, at Irving College this year.

—Ed. Jacobs has moved with his family into the house he rented from John W. Tipton, Chambersburg St.

—We are glad to learn that Reuben Rupp and Allie Holtzworth who have been very ill, are able to be out again.

—This office returns thanks to Mrs. E. Large, for two boxes of very fine Strawberries, grown on her farm near Orrtanna.

—While digging in the garden of S. A. Hammond last week two bullets were found and are now in Mr. Hammond's possession.

—Mr. Walter Ehly and wife and Mr. Christian Geiser, of Reading, who have been visiting J. L. Sheads, left on Monday for home.

—Prof. H. Milton Roth left on Monday to take part in the examination at the Indiana Normal School, examining in six branches.

—Mrs. E. Earnshaw, left on the 18th inst. to spend the summer months with her daughter Mrs. Dr. Morris at her country home in Schuylkill Co.

—Mrs. Emory Forest and child have returned to their home in Lewistown. We are glad to note that the little daughter is very much better.

—Mrs. Luther J. Diller and daughters, Kate and Mary, of East Berlin, attended commencement to be present at graduation of James Diller, a son.

—Mr. and Mrs. P. B. Krout who have been visiting the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. Raffensperger have returned to their home in Wilmington Del.

—Murray Warren, son of Geo. W. Warren left last week for the west, after visiting World's Fair he will go to Dallas, Texas, to go on a cattle ranch.

—The largest strawberry that we have heard of around here, was grown on S. A. Hammond's place, in Gettysburg, measuring four and a half inches in circumference.

—Dr. Henry Stewart attended the Division Encampment of Sons Veterans last week and was elected a delegate to the National Encampment at Boston, in August.

—At the Harrisburg District Epworth League Convention, last week, Miss Margaret McMillan of this place was elected Junior League Superintendent of this district.

—Rev. H. G. Blair returned last week from a visit to Standing Stone, Bradford County, and treated us to delicious strawberries raised on his fruit farm within seven miles of the New York State line.

—Rev. M. F. Troxell, D. D., of St. Joe Mo., has been elected president of Midland College in place of Dr. J. A. Clutz, who resigned to accept charge here, Rev. Trovett married Miss Julia

Forney of this place. He will enter upon his duties Aug. 1st.

—Mr. Hartley, of the firm of Daugherty & Hartley, left, on Monday, with his family for the World's Fair, from there they will visit Denver. Robert Ross, and Rev. Duffenderfer and family will join them in Harrisburg.

—Caryl A. Grammer, son of G. L. H. Grammer, who was formerly a pupil in the Gettysburg schools, was graduated on the 18th inst. from the Central Manual Training School and won a scholarship in the Pennsylvania Museum of Industrial Art, for a term of three years.

—Rev. Dr. Barkley attended a special meeting of the Potomac Synod of the Reformed Church, in Carlisle, last Tuesday evening, meeting adjourned Wednesday. The resignation of Dr. John C. Bowman (Synodical Professor of New Testament exegesis in the Seminary, at Lancaster, Pa.), was accepted, Rev. Dr. W. C. Shaffer, of Chambersburg, was elected his successor.

—Mrs. Sallie Cox, returning from California, is spending some time at the World's Fair. In the Pennsylvania building she saw and read "The Gettysburg Compiler" and wrote home saying it was like meeting a friend. She returns to Gettysburg the end of this week. The Compiler has been on file in the Pennsylvania building since opening of Fair and can be found there each week.

Robert Rowe, formerly of this place and now a reporter for a number of prominent New York City papers, in a letter to a Gettysburg friend, states that he has attended 178 society weddings since the first of the year, and has been present at every important wedding of interest to New York society in the past three years, in many instances writing three and four different accounts of the same nuptials. Among the recent weddings included in this list were many fashionable "out of town" events, such as the recent Whelen-Goelet affair at Wayne, Philadelphia; the Thayer-Patten nuptials at Lancaster, Mass., and the smart wedding at Hyde Park, N. Y. last week of Helen Roosevelt Roosevelt and Theodore Douglas Robinson. President and Mrs. Roosevelt attended this wedding, the bride being a second cousin and the bridegroom a nephew of the President, after whom he was named.

FOUR DEATHS TO BE RECORDED.

Death of Well Known Minister in Philadelphia This Week

Dr. Joseph A. Seiss.

Dr. Joseph A. Seiss, probably the most eminent Lutheran minister in this country passed away Monday afternoon at his Philadelphia home aged 81 years. Death was due to Bright's disease. Only a day or two before his death he revised proof sheets of a book of his sermons about to be published. He was born near Graceham, Frederick county, Md., in 1823. He was licensed to preach in 1842. In 1858 he became pastor of the oldest Lutheran church in Philadelphia and spent the remainder of his days in that city. He was one of the founders of the General Council and for forty years President of the Board of Trustees of the Mt. Airy Theological Seminary. Funeral services will be held on Friday morning in the church of the Holy Communion. Two sons and two daughters survive.

Meade D. Detwiler

Meade D. Detwiler, a graduate of Gettysburg College, well known here, twice District Attorney of Dauphin county and who at one time had been Grand Exalted Ruler of the Order of Elks died on last Saturday night from results of an operation for appendicitis, in his 41st year.

Mrs. Hiram Dentler.

Mrs. Hiram Dentler, living near Heidlersburg, supposed to have been cured by faith a month ago did not stay cured. After years of suffering from cancer and after several hours of prayer she declared all pain had left her and got out of bed where she had been for months and walked about, went out doors and insisted upon helping with the baking on a recent occasion. The exertion was too much. She gradually grew weak until death followed at the age of 55 years and 2 months. She leaves a husband and nine children.

Elmer Weikert.

Elmer Weikert died from consumption in imprisonment on Wednesday of last week aged about 28 years. Wm. Hersh, Esq., had secured his pardon but he died before he had received notice of the same. The body was brought to this place last Thursday for interment.

Announcement

I hereby announce my candidacy for the Democratic nomination for the office of Prothonotary of Adams County. Subject to the decision of the Democratic County Convention.

CICERO W. STONER.

FABERS Plantation, Key West and other brands of fine Cigars at the Battifield Museum, 40 Baltimore street.

CHOICE brands of Cigars always on sale at the Battifield Museum, 40 Baltimore Street.

BUSY JUNE ARGUMENT COURT

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on heirs to accept same at appraised value.

Rule was granted to show cause why citation should not issue to file an account in estate of Vincent O'Bold.

Widow's list under \$300 in estate of Geo. Johnson taking same out of 9 acres in Latimore township was filed and ordered to be recorded.

Return of sale of real estate of Henry Eppelman, dec'd., confirmed, home tract of 1 acre and 22 perches in Menallen township to Henry C. Eppelman for \$1,950 and 7 acres of timberland in same township to Thomas Wenk for \$155.22.

D. P. Delap of Bendersville, Chas. A. Landis and J. J. Reindollar of Fairfield were appointed reviewers of road in Liberty township from a point in road leading from Emmitsburg to Diehl's mill to a point in road leading from Emmitsburg and Waynesboro turnpike to Fairfield.

Hiram Kepner and Michael Slagle, of Berwick township, and S. Miley Miller of Reading township, were appointed viewers to vacate and supply a part of public road beginning at Kuhn's fording in Hamilton township to a point in road leading from East Berlin to New Oxford, near lands of Israel Hartman and Nathaniel Baker.

A Great Opportunity

Prof. Samuel, the noted New York eye sight specialist, is located in Gettysburg for one week, commencing today in Myer's Jewelry Store.

The Prof. is an expert of long experience. Those who have not succeeded in getting their eyes properly adjusted with glasses, should not lose this great chance. The Prof. does not use any drops to enlarge the pupil, which has produced in many instances almost total blindness. His method is practical and scientific, all special prescription work, is done by the best lens grinders in New York.

Remember while your eyes will be examined by a specialist of note, no charge will be made, except for the glasses for which a reasonable price will be made. The Prof. has with him the finest instruments of the century.

The Prof. carries with him credentials of noted people of Carlisle. Reference—Bishop I. H. Vincent, M. E. Church, T. Edison, the great wizard, Prof. Morgan, of Dickinson College and others.

Prof. Samuel practiced for 18 years at Chautauqua, N. Y. For the last four years he had an office in Mountain Lake Park, Md., during July and August.

McELROY

In Memoriam

In loving remembrance of my dear mother, Lydia McElroy, who died June 21, 1898.

I sigh sometimes to see thy face,

But since this cannot be

I'll leave thee to the care of him

Who cares for thee and me.

"I'll keep you both beneath my wings—"

This comforts dear:

One wing O'er thee and one O'er me

So we are near.

BELLE.

THE MARKETS.

Prices at the Gettysburg warehouses, corrected weekly by J. Geo. Wolf's Sons.

New Wheat.....	\$ 50
New Corn.....	60
New Rye.....	60
New Oats.....	35

RETAIL PRICES.

Wheat Bran.....	1 20 per 100
Corn and Oats chop.....	1 20
Flour.....	1 80
Western Flour.....	5 50
Western Oats.....	55 " bu
Corn.....	75
Wheat.....	1 20 per 100
Middlings.....	80
Timothy Hay.....	1 35 per 100
Rye Chop.....	80
Baled Straw.....	80 per 100
Baled Shavings.....	35 per bale

Produce at Wholesale.

Butter firm, good demand, 12 and 13 cts.; eggs market firm, 16; live fowls 8c. spring chickens 12 to 14c. per lb. market firm. calves 4 1/2 to 5.

Produce at Retail.

Eggs—16 and 17 cents per dozen. Butter—18 cents a pound.

COMMENCING Saturday June 18th a new passenger train on the P. & R. Ry. was started running on Saturdays only, leaving Reading Terminal at 1.30 P. M. leaving Reading at 3.30 P. M. arriving at Harrisburg at 4.40 P. M., making connections with train for Carlisle and Shippensburg and intermediate points.

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Public Sale

—OF—

Valuable Personal Property

ON SATURDAY, JULY 2, the undersigned shall at public sale at Plank's creamery in Gettysburg, the following personal property of Mary H. Sherfy, deceased.

One falling top buggy, good new, buffalo robe in good condition, lady's riding saddle, a relic of the battle, 2 beds, 2 settees, a rocking chair, corner cupboard, bureau, book case, 2 chests, 2 stands, good 48 hour clock, iron kettle, brass kettle, 6 fruit trays, 2 lamps, looking glass, cradle, lot of books, lot of dishes, lot of stone and glass jars, lot tinware, clothes horse, lot of bee boxes and bee supplies, and many other articles to numerous to mention. Sale to commence at 1 o'clock sharp, when terms will be made known by

JACOB I. HERETER, Executor.

E. O. Carrens, Aucr.

ALSO

At the same time and place the undersigned intending to quit house-keeping will sell the following: Bedstead and bedding, washstand, towel rack, Singer sewing machine, cherry wood double dining table, drop leaf table, rocking chairs, lounge, Kitchen chairs, sink, Brussels carpet, home-made factory carpet, stair carpet and 7018 stair oil cloth, matting, oil cloths, 1 doz. new window blinds, China ware, agate, tin and stoneware, pots and pans, range, 3 burner oil stove, large parlor coal stove and pipe, fruit jars, also buggy harness, cutting board, etc.

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Just now at the beginning of summer would be a good time to try one of our Elastic Felt Mattresses. They are cooling and soft. All prices.

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This is refrigerator weather. Now is the time to get one before the summer is half over. But when you do, get a good one. **THE CHALLENGE is the Best.**

Take advantage of this opportunity and get a piece of furniture at the reduced prices, even if you do not need it for six months.

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There are but few makers of whom we buy in this way. Some of our shoes we plan almost from the beginning. The reasons are these:

1. Some of the best looking shoes are not honest inside.
2. Some of the most honest made shoes dont fit the wants of the people.
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Dry Goods, Notions, Carpets and Matting

HARDWARE,

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Have you seen my latest Souvenirs.

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If you are going to buy a wedding present, I have hundreds of articles, just the thing you want.

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Prices and terms reasonable. Write for prices or call at the store before buying elsewhere.

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Now the buying of Spring Clothes will go on faster than ever.

We have been selling large quantities (much larger than ever before) notwithstanding that April was the coldest ever.

The New Store was and is an "object of interest," and our Spring and Summer Fabrics are unusually attractive. Then our prices, as usual, are very moderate, and the people have been buying, buying, buying.

We keep right on offering inducements to a discerning public, and feel assured of our reward.

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DISFIGURED WITH ECZEMA

Under Physicians Five Months. Went from Bad to Worse.

CURED BY CUTICURA

Wonderful Change in One Night. In a Month Face Was Clean as Ever.

"I was troubled with eczema on the face for five months during which time I was in the care of physicians. My face was in such a condition that I could not go out. It was going from bad to worse and I gave up all hope, when a friend of mine highly recommended Cuticura Remedies. The first night after I washed my face with Cuticura Soap and used Cuticura Ointment and Cuticura Resolvent it changed wonderfully, and continuing the treatment it removed all scales and scabs. From that day I was able to go out, and in a month my face was as clean as ever."

THOMAS J. SOTH, 817 Stagg St., Brooklyn, N. Y.

The above letter was received in 1898 and he again writes on Feb. 19, 1903, "I have not been troubled with eczema since."

The agonizing itching and burning of the skin as in eczema; the frightful scaling, as in psoriasis; the loss of hair and crusting of scalp, as in scalled head; the facial disfigurement, as in pimples and ringworm; the awful suffering of infants, and anxiety of worn-out parents, as in milk crust, tetter and salt rheum—all demand a remedy of almost superhuman virtues to successfully cope with them. That Cuticura Soap, Ointment and Resolvent are such stands proven beyond all doubt. No statement is made regarding them that is not justified by the strongest evidence. The purity and sweetness, the power to afford immediate relief, the certainty of speedy and permanent cure, the absolute safety and great economy have made them the standard skin cures of the civilized world.

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With a view to giving the owners of Adams County, an opportunity to improve their stock I have determined to place the above named, fast, fashionable bred horse at their service. Will start a stable of RUBRICIAN H. E. Riddlemoser in McKnight's own on Mondays and Tuesdays, at the City Hotel stable in Gettysburg on Wednesday, Friday and Saturday, and at the Central Hotel stable in Littlestown on Thursdays.

TERMS \$15.00 to insure mare with foal, 2 mares \$25.00, 3 mares \$30.00. To be paid in advance, not to be returned if mare proves not with foal. Cows will be taken but no responsibility for accidents or escapes. Persons desiring to use this horse should book at once.

H. E. RIDDLEMOSER, McKnightstown, Pa.

NOTICE WHENAS, at a meeting of the stock holders of The Citizens' Bank held at the office of said corporation in the Borough of Gettysburg, on the 11th day of January, 1904, it was decided by said stockholder, by a vote of 72 to 2, and 23 against, to merge said bank with the Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg, and that said bank should go into liquidation, said.

WHEREAS, in pursuance of said action of the stockholder, the said The Citizens' Bank has been merged with The Citizens' Trust Company of Gettysburg.

No fee is hereby given that said The Citizens' Bank is closing up its affairs, in consequence of said merger, and all creditors of The Citizens' Bank are hereby notified to present their claims for payment.

By order of the Board of Directors, R. Wm. Kream, Cashier.

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Is Nature's Greatest Tonic for men and women. Price 50c.

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THOUGHTS AND THINGS

WITH A SONG, TELLING THE MESSAGE OF HARVESTS FOLLOWING THE PLOW.

With a Story Told by an Adams County Farmer on the Subject of Farming.

THE BREAKING PLOW.

I am the plow that turns the sod That has lain for a thousand years Where the prairie's wind-tossed flowers nod And the wolf her wild cub rears. I come, and in my wake, like rain, Is scattered the golden seed; I change the leagues of lonely plain To fruitful gardens and fields of grain For men and their hungry breed.

I greet the earth in its rosy morn, I bring the glory of wheat and corn For the crowning of those who toil. I am civilization's seal and sign, 'Yea, I am the mighty pen That writes the sod with a pledge divine. A promise to pay with bread and wine For the sweat of honest men.

I am the end of things that were, And the birth of things to be; My coming makes the earth to stir With a new and strange decree; After its slumbers deep and long, I waken the drowsy sod, And sow my furrow with life of song To glad the heart of the mighty through, I sow feeling the way to God.

A thousand summers the prairie rose Has gladdened the hermit bee; A thousand winters the dripping snows Have whitened the grassy sea; Before me curls the wavering smoke Of the Indian's smoldering fire, Behind me rise—as it God who spoke?—At the toll-enchanter's stroke, The town and the glittering spire.

I give the soil to the one who does, For the joy of him and his, I roused the slumbering world that was To the diligent world that is; Oh, Seer with vision that looks away A thousand long years from now, The marvelous nation your eyes survey Was born of the purpose that here, today, Is guiding the breaking-plow!

—NIXON WATERMAN in Success.

There are among the many characteristics of man as a mass two tendencies which seem opposed to each other. The one is the constant drift of the rural population to towns and cities. The other is the constant drift of those who live in cities to get back to the country. It is possible that the feeling which dictates both drifts is the desire of the human to have the thing he does not possess. But there is more than that. Youth feels the isolation in the country, the lacking of the stimulus of the hustling environment. Imagines he or she can be happy in a city if it is a weary round of work. Yet as soon as city man makes money, the first thing he does is to get out of the city. The tendency is to have a country home, perhaps near the city, but no matter it is the country and this tendency is never greater than today. The literature of country life was never greater than it is today and it is constantly growing.

These two tendencies simply illustrate that man does not know himself. He hungers for development and vainly imagines that it is something outside of himself to be put inside, when it is only the drawing out of what was already inside. He goes to the city and what is the result. No matter what the work he becomes a specialist, he makes but one part of a machine, a small part of one department. He adapts his mental attitude to that of the specialist and it all becomes a deadly routine. Just one thing all the time over and over and he fits his life and mind to one thing until they become as narrow as their work. He hungers because he can't help it, for the broad fields, for the open he-

\$500 REWARD FOR WOMEN WHO CANNOT BE CURED.

Backed up by over a third of a century of remarkable and uniform cures, a record such as no other remedy for the diseases and weaknesses peculiar to women ever attained—the proprietors and makers of Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets now fully warranted in offering to pay \$500 in legal money of the United States, for any case of Leucorrhea, Female Weakness, Prolapsus, or Falling of Womb which they cannot cure. All they ask is a fair and reasonable trial of their means of cure.

They have the most remarkable record of cures made by this world-famed remedy ever placed to the credit of any preparation especially designed for the cure of woman's peculiar ailments.

A beautiful Georgia lady, Vice-President of the East End Palmist Club, of Savannah, and prominent socially there, relates the following experience: "You certainly have produced the finest medicine for suffering women that is to be had in the country. I want to recommend it especially to mothers. I was seventeen years old when my darling boy was born. I felt very exhausted and weak for a long time, and it seemed I could not get my strength back. My sister-in-law bought me a bottle of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription and I had tried several of the other remedies which are so much advertised, and found no relief. I had little faith in the medicine at the time and was so weak and sick that I felt discouraged, but within a week after I had commenced taking your 'Favorite Prescription' I was like a different woman. New life and vitality seemed to come with each succeeding day, until in a few weeks I was in fine health, and a happy, hearty woman. My boy is now two years old, and, thanks to your 'Favorite Prescription,' I am enjoying perfect health. If at any time I feel tired or in need of a tonic, a few doses of your 'Favorite Prescription' recuperates me at once. My address is No. 311 Jones Street, East, Savannah, Ga."

To Dr. R. V. Pierce, Buffalo, N. Y.

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Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets are a ladies' laxative. No other medicine equals them for gentleness and thoroughness.

vens, for the great visions of green of country. If he was there he could fill his lungs with good fresh air and dwell on the winds and he could live broadly and deeply. So the city man dreams of the home he is going to build in the country and he builds it just as soon as he has the means.

But youth in the country often only learns the lesson when it is too late. An Adams county farmer who has prospered said I know of no time I could not say if I want to, I will not work tomorrow. I will go here or I will go there, on some duty, for some pleasure, toward some development. The farm will not suffer for that one day. The toil of the farm is hard when I work but I do not have to work for the three hundred and thirty-seven week-days. I do the work in season and have time to give to other things. I don't have to work at one thing from Monday morning to Saturday night, week after week, year after year, and then doing only a part of one thing. On the farm I help at the whole thing from the breaking plow to the gathered harvest. I do not toil to have my wages go to land lord and storekeeper and have little left at the end of the week. I toil and gather the harvest of my work and put it on my table and buy with it clothes for my back and I have no rent to pay. It is true I may be only paying for my existence in toil just as the man in the city is doing, but the difference is my toil is out of doors, with plenty of room and his is cramped in a room and mine is all bigger, sweeter, better.

And as we listened a longing for a farm took possession but then later on came the thought that amateur farming isn't the thing. To get the full meaning of the breaking plow, you must pay the price the toil, yet in paying the price there are many things to remember. Isolation may be a mill stone on development. The work may be made a drudgery and shrivel up development. To broaden the point of view there must be the desire to broaden and the effort toward that end. And the farmer with the right perspective keeps in mind all this. He doesn't do his work like he did it last year or the year before, if he has found a better way. He keeps his eyes open. Thinks as he works and works as he thinks. Puts joy in his great out-door work and reaps with the harvest gladness and finds the farm the happiest place on earth for him to put in his days.

THE WIND'S MYSTERY.

Mountain and Valley Breezes and How They Originate.

The meteorologist is gradually divesting the wind of its mystery and is able to explain convincingly how and when it originates. The study of a great number of observations taken simultaneously all over the country and, in fact, all over two continents has enabled the expert to foresee just when wind and storm will arrive at certain sections of the country.

Of course the physical topography of any neighborhood has its influence on the local storms, fogs and prevailing winds. The "mountain" and "valley breezes" that are so eagerly sought during the summer recreation or sojourning is an instance of the effect of mountains on local climate and weather conditions. As explained by a professor of meteorology, because of active radiation at night the layers of air near the earth become cooled, and as cool air is heavier than warm air, a law of physics that is generally appreciated theoretically, but usually overlooked practically, this heavy air tends to move down the hillside. The tendency becomes after a time sufficiently pronounced to produce a general downhill movement, eventually resulting in a perceptible breeze.

That is what is commonly designated locally as "the mountain breeze" and which, from its origin, is practically in one constant direction, though the intervention of powerful storms may temporarily reverse the customary movement. Vice versa, during the day the presence of warmer and therefore lighter air near the earth causes a movement of the atmosphere with an upward tendency, creating the so called valley breezes. In certain favorably situated localities the appearance of the mountain or the valley breeze is as regular as clockwork, the transitional period being marked by a calm.

—Philadelphia Record.

His Persistence Triumphs.

"I wrote you," she said, "to call and get your letters, which you did. Then you immediately wrote me another. I can't understand it."

"Why, then I had another one to call and get, didn't I?" he returned.

Then, seeing there was only one way to get rid of him, she promised to marry him.—Chicago Post.

Smoking In Korea.

All men and women in Korea, whatever their station, smoke tobacco incessantly. The bowls of their pipes are so small that they only hold a pinch or two of tobacco, and the stems are so long that the smoker is unable to apply a match to his own pipe. The coolie carries his pipe thrust down his neck between his coat and his back; the Korean gentleman carries his in his sleeve.

Hump Back

SCOTT'S EMULSION won't make a hump back straight, neither will it make a short leg long, but it feeds soft bone and heals diseased bone and is among the few genuine means of recovery in rickets and bone consumption. Send for free sample. SCOTT & BOWNE, Chemists, 409-415 Pearl Street, New York. 50c. and \$1.00; all druggists.

A DOG'S TESTIMONY.

It Was In His Own Defense and Was Irresistible.

In one of the Prague district courts recently a foreman named Dastych sued a manufacturer named Weinert, alleging the latter's dog had bitten him, thereby rendering him for some time unfit for work. The dog was produced in court and the services of a veterinary surgeon were requisitioned as expert evidence. Herr Dastych, in the presence of the judge, did his utmost to irritate the dog, and even struck it, but all to no purpose. The dog remained calm, and finally, finding the proceeding monotonous, crept under a stool. "Quiet as a lamb!" was the finding of the veterinary surgeon; but "Oh, no," said the foreman, "the dog behaves itself because its master is present." So the dog was taken out into the corridor, among the public, this time unattended, and the veterinary again tried his best to irritate the animal. Doggy wagged his tail, offered first one paw and then the other, and its advances being rudely repelled by the unfeeling veterinary, ran back into court, sat upon its hind legs before the judge, and begged! Not even the hard heart of a judge could resist this appeal, and the animal left the court without a stain upon its character.

FISH FED BY HAND.

Many Specimens of the Finny Tribe Are Easily Tamed.

Experiments made in a large aquarium have proved that fish may be easily tamed and trained. This is particularly true of blue perch. They soon consent to taking their food—ultra, a green, lettuce-like weed—from the hand, and do not at all object to being handled. A huge kelp cod, a splendid specimen of rich blue and green hues, that was kept in the same tank with the perch, readily learned to feed from the hand, and seemed to enjoy being scratched and rubbed.

Sea slugs, too—singular, shell-less things possessing the faculty of secreting a purple fluid which they throw out in self defense—took their regular meal of seaweed from their feeder's fingers without the slightest fear. Sticklebacks, perch, bass and catfish are among the most easily tamed fish, and the story is told of an old fisherman who day after day fed a large horse mackerel in the open sea with pieces of the fish he cleaned. It gradually got into the habit of coming nearer and nearer to where the boat was tethered until, finally convinced that it would not be harmed, it consented to take its daily meal directly from the fisherman's hand.

YOUGHIOGHENY.

The Proper Way of Pronouncing This Indian Name.

Perhaps the most difficult geographical name in the United States is Youghioheny, or geny, as it is sometimes spelled, the name of a creek in western Maryland and Pennsylvania. Few besides natives of the region pronounce it with the chief accent on the penultimate and who so essays it with the accent elsewhere finds his mouth filled with a meaningless confusion of vowels and consonants. The first syllable is "Yough," pronounced "Yo," with a short "o." The second is "ghio," short, the "h" following is almost if not quite unheard in the mouth of the native, while the last two syllables are those made familiar in "Alleghany," though there is even here a question of "a" long or "e" short.

The pronunciation of Youghioheny is, however, a simple matter with the modern spelling compared to what it must have seemed to the stranger who met it with the old spelling. On an ancient map of the region the name is spelled "Youghyoghganian." Doubtless this spelling came nearer than that now in use to indicating aptly the Indian pronunciation of the name.

A Serious Offense.

Mr. Banks had acquired a dictatorial manner in his youth, and it had grown with his years. When he gradually became nearsighted, he refused to wear glasses and held other people responsible for any difficulties into which his failing sight led him. One day he chided by the coat sleeve a man who was hurrying past him on the street.

"I want a word with you, Mr. Griggs," he said sharply. "I will detain you only a moment."

"My name is not Griggs. You have made a mistake," said the man.

"Your name isn't Griggs," said Mr. Banks, still detaining the stranger and peering into his face. "I should like to know why not?"

No Chance of Confusion There.

"The trouble with our people," exclaimed the popular orator, "is that they too often confuse license with liberty."

"I don't know about other kinds of license," interrupted a thoughtful looking man from the audience, "but I can state emphatically that there is no confusion between a marriage license and liberty."

There were approving murmurs clear back to the rear of the hall.—New Orleans Times-Democrat.

the. He handed it over and they swearing passed out, without making search for Yankees.

Our first concern now was to secrete the soldier in a more secure place. This being done we went to the front door to report these desperadoes. Two fine looking officers were standing at our door and on seeing us commenced making inquiry concerning the dead on the street. We reported the conduct of the two men. They replied we should have come to the door immediately and have sent to Gen. Rhode. A square below us on Middle street. But they said they would have us guarded the ensuing night, also adding that one of their men had been hanging down here, pointing to Railroad street, for misbehavior. This we seldom suspected it might not be true, but it later we heard of an instance of them hanging a man in the same vicinity, while they had relieved.

But 4 o'clock p. m. of the 24 day arrived with it. Guns north of us opened their belching throats and sent their screaming missiles over us and were quickly answered by as many more from the center and left wing of the Union lines. The work of that evening from four to half-past nine, the fearful charges, the alternate advances and repulses, first upon the left and then upon the right, the everlasting effect of a three hours' display of musketry on Culp's Hill, the terrible roar of which, though sublimely grand, combined with that of 200 guns to those who sat between the two armies' lines, was anticipation of rending of the heavens and crashing of worlds. All this, surely, justified us, seeking the lowest corner of our caves and cellars, even rehung our stuffed bolster case and ban-box.

Thankful we were, when released at half past nine and informed that the battle was over for the night, tho' to be reopened by daybreak next morning. Precisely at 4 a. m. were startled by the first gun and so quickly was this signal hailed and responded to by the surrounding artillery, that a very short time elapsed before we were in our accustomed retreat.

Two surgeons of Gen. Reynolds' staff, Drs. Hearde of Boston, and each of Philadelphia, had been captured on the 1st and were confined within rebel lines. They were permitted to attend the wounded. Six public buildings and nearly all the private houses on High street were now well filled with the first day's wounded. These surgeons came to our house on the second, for some information they were in quest of. We were so happy to see a Union officer that we invited them to lodge in our house. They gladly accepted.

But on this morning of the 3d, supposing that we had repaired to the cellar, they did not wish to disturb us, hence remained in their room listening to the vociferous shouts, if possible to recognize the success of friend or foe. About 6 o'clock we could no longer endure the thought of them sleeping in such danger and decided to awake them but they promptly responded and explained.

We gave them a hastily prepared breakfast. One of them was too solicitous to eat. They hurried off to their important duty. They had made their exit scarcely five minutes when a shell entered the room in which they had slept, demolished everything before it, tearing every particle of bedding from the bed on which they had lain. And whilst those of us, who had staid with them at their breakfast were passing down the stairway, returning to the cellar, another shell entered the breakfast room and breaking or bursting over the table and driving the weights of a clock across the table into the next partition. Everything upon the table, even the forks, with which they ate were broken.

CONCLUDED NEXT WEEK.

Ayer's

What are your friends saying about you? That your gray hair makes you look old? And yet, you are not forty! Postpone this looking old.

Hair Vigor

Use Ayer's Hair Vigor and restore to your gray hair all the deep, dark, rich color of early life. Then be satisfied.

"Ayer's Hair Vigor restored the natural color to my gray hair, and I am greatly pleased. It is all I can claim for it."

Mrs. E. J. VANDERKAM, Mechanicville, N. Y.

Small bottle, 25 cents. Large bottle, 50 cents.

For Dark Hair

Its Value and Quality Depend Altogether Upon Methods of Curing.

Clover hay, when properly cured and stored, is one of the finest articles of forage that can be grown, but when poorly made and musty is not relished. While much depends upon the weather, yet it is equally true that good clover hay may be made almost any year. It is impossible, however, to make good clover hay without having two clear days in succession, unless it is provided with waterproof hay caps. Cutting the clover should be in when about one-half of the heads are turning brown. The mower should be started as early in the morning as the dew is off, and kept running until it is time to put the clover in windrows before night; the larger the windrows the better, as they hold heat, and it is the heat that does the curing while in windrows. When the crop has been cut with the sun shining thereon for a few hours it will have absorbed considerable heat. Then in the morning, as soon as possible, the windrows should be gently loosened up with forks, to allow the air free access through them till noon by which time the hay will be ready to be put in the mow. It is claimed that it is better, unless rain is very imminent, never to put clover hay into the cock, as it should be hauled in direct from the windrow, but opinions vary on methods of curing.

Some farmers use salt, but others claim that no salt should be used on clover hay, especially when putting it away in the mow. Salt draws moisture from the atmosphere, and as a consequence will cause the hay more readily to heat and become musty.

It is always an advantage to have water-proof hay caps on hand, in case there may be necessity for using them, in which case good clover hay may be made even in unfavorable weather. To make them, water proof material is, of course, the best, but unbleached coarse cotton will answer the purpose almost as well. If made of the latter, procure sheeting cotton five feet wide, tear it into five-foot lengths, and with a sewing machine hem in a good stout cord along each edge, leaving a small loop at each corner. Then make four pins, some 18 inches in length, of any kind of hard wood, for each cap, and after adjusting these coverings in place pin down each corner securely to the ground, to remain so until all danger of rain is over.

Hay-making requires observation of conditions and doing the work promptly. Some farmers keep the hay constantly stirred with the use of the hay tedder; others put it in large cocks, the object of all methods being to secure bright hay. If rain comes on the newly mowed grass the tedder should be used to assist in drying it as soon as possible, though rain does not harm the green grass as it does after the grass is cured into hay. There is yet much to learn regarding the proper curing of clover hay.

PENNSYLVANIA CHAUTAUQUA.

For the Pennsylvania Chautauqua, to be held at Mt. Gretna, Pa., July 1 to August 5, 1904, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell special excursion tickets from New York, Philadelphia, Chestnut Hill, Phoenixville, Wilmington, Perryville, Frederick, Md., Washington, D. C., East Liberty, Butler, Indiana, Connelville, Bedford, Clearfield, Martinsburg, Bellefonte, Waterford, Canandaigua, Wilkesbarre, Tomlücken, Mt. Carmel, Lykens, and principal intermediate points, to Mt. Gretna and return, at reduced rates. Tickets will be sold June 25 to August 5, inclusive, and will be good to return until August 16, inclusive. For specific rates, consult ticket agents.

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A once precious diadem, which is now only a historic relic of much interest, is the ancient crown of the Scotch kings kept in the castle of Edinburgh. It is supposed to have been made for Robert Bruce and is formed of two circles of gold, the upper and narrowest circle being surmounted by a row of crosses and gem encrusted imitation flowers. The lower ring, the headband proper, is adorned from end to end of the golden band with large precious stones of different kinds, mostly in their rough, unpolished state. Above rise two arches of gold, which unite and are surmounted with the historic "cross and ball." Even when the Stuarts became kings of England they went to the trouble of going to Scotland to seat themselves for a few moments upon the celebrated "stone of scone" and to have King Bruce's diadem pressed upon their royal heads.

Charles I. declared his intention of removing Scotland's famous relic to London so that such ceremonies could be carried out at home, but the sturdy Scots soon convinced him that such a proceeding would be an infringement upon their rights, so the king had to go to Edinburgh, as others had done before. The wife of a preacher of the name of Granger once stole the Scotch crown and the other royal insignia, this in 1652 or 1653. At the time of the restoration they were transferred to Charles II. They were returned to Edinburgh castle in 1707.

Via Gettysburg & Harrisburg Railroad and Philadelphia & Reading Railway.

Arrangements have been made to run special excursions to Atlantic City, Cape May, Ocean City and Sea Isle City on Thursdays, June 30th, July 14th and 28th, August 11th and 25th and September 8th.

Tickets for these excursions will be sold from all ticket stations on the Gettysburg & Harrisburg Railway and P. H. & P. branch of the Philadelphia & Reading Railway at the low rate of \$4.50 for the round trip, children between 5 and 12 years of age, half rate, good going only on train leaving Gettysburg at 5.55 a. m., Carlisle at 6.37 a. m. and Shippenburg at 6.15 a. m. on the above dates and good to return on any regular train within sixteen days, including day of sale.

These tickets will be good on regular trains to and from any one of above named sea coast resorts within time limit of ticket, but do not include passenger and baggage transfer through Philadelphia. Convenient connections can be made between depots by street cars or transfer coaches.

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PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

S. S. Neely, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office in Star & Sentinel Building, second floor, Baltimore street, over Cash Store. Oct. 5, '92. 11

C. W. Stoner, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office in Masonic Building, Centre Square. Oct. 26, 1892. 11

Charles E. Stahl, ATTORNEY-AT-LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office on Baltimore st., next door to the Compiler Building. All legal business entrusted to him will receive prompt and careful attention.

REMOVED. WM. MCLEAN, WM. ARCH. McCLEAN, Late Pres. Judge.

Wm. & Wm. Arch. McClean, Attorneys at Law, Gettysburg, Pa. Law offices removed to Compiler Building, Baltimore street, a few doors above Court House on opposite side of street.

J. L. Williams, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to. Office on Baltimore street, first square, in Spangler building. May 24, 1892. 11

McPherson & McPherson, ATTORNEYS AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office second-story Star and Sentinel Building. Will promptly attend to all legal business entrusted to them. Feb. 11, '96. 11

Wm. Hersh, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Will carefully and promptly attend to all legal business entrusted to him. Office on Baltimore street, opposite the Court-house. Sept. 18, 1892. 11

Chas. B. Stouffer, D. D. S. DENTIST, GETTYSBURG, PA. OFFICE second-floor of Star and Sentinel Building May 3, 1892. 11

J. L. Kendlehart, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Lately practicing in Philadelphia, has removed to Gettysburg and resumed practice in the several Courts of Adams county. Office on Baltimore street, opposite the Court-house, in the rooms recently occupied by Hon. S. McC. Swope. All legal business promptly and carefully attended to. Jan. 29, 1893. 11

Wm. McSherry, Jr., ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Will carefully and promptly attend to all legal business entrusted to him. Office opposite the Court-house. Dec. 5, 1894. 11

G. J. Benner, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Office in the McKnight Building Baltimore street. Dec. 15, 1894. 11

J. L. Butt, ATTORNEY AT LAW, GETTYSBURG, PA. Collections and all legal business promptly attended to. Office on Baltimore street, second floor of Spangler Building. Feb. 5, '95. 11

FOR RENT.—One 7-room modern house, gas, water and lawn, with separate toilet, High street, Gettysburg. J2541

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CCOU ST of T. C. Grave Treasurer of Straban school district for the year ending Jan. 10th, 1903.

DR.	
From State appropriation.....	\$1481 70
From all other sources.....	200 25
From former Treasurer.....	168 22
From collector.....	125 03
	3099 80
CR.	
Repairs.....	\$ 112 75
Teachers wages.....	1848 01
Teachers attending County Ins.....	68 00
Coal and kindling.....	272 60
Leaving houses.....	32 22
Pay of Treasurer.....	38 01
Fees of collector.....	28 01
Secretary salary.....	45 09
Life insurance.....	29 75
Text books.....	103 07
Supplies.....	125 41
Copy book.....	39 81
Other expenses.....	43 45
Auditors pay and publishing.....	10 25
Expenses at settlement.....	6 80
Reim. tax over paid by Geo. F. Witter former collector.....	28 19
Cash on hand.....	21 44
	3099 80

Attest—D. S. REYNOLDS, Secretary.
We, the undersigned auditors have examined the above account and find it correct.
W. H. ECKERT,
L. D. SOWERS,
J. C. LIVESPERGER,
Auditors.

ADMINISTRATORS' NOTICE

JESSE KAHLBAUGH'S ESTATE.—Letters of Administration d. b. n. c. t. a. on the estate of JESSE KAHLBAUGH, late of Hamilton township, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, they hereby give notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
Or their atty., SAMUEL KAHLBAUGH;
C. S. DUNCAN, JOHN M. FORRY,
J15 6t Administrators' d. b. n. c. t. a.

EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

SAMUEL EYSTER'S ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on estate of SAMUEL EYSTER, late of New Oxford Borough Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement.
Or his atty., A. I. WEINER,
J. L. Butt, Esq., Executor, Arden'sville. J17 6t

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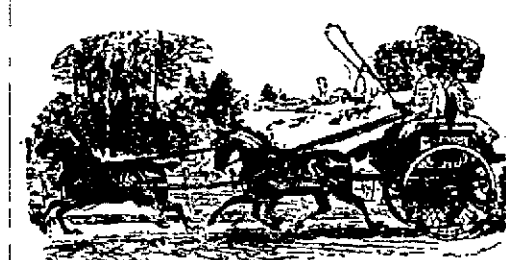
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Special sale of Refrigerators, at low down prices.

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Water Coolers, all sizes from two to ten gallons, and prices according, from \$1.50 to \$4.00.

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We carry a full line of School Supplies of all kinds. Special prices to School Boards on application.

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Littlestown, Pa.

Gettysburg School Report.

ACCOUNT of Charles A. Blocher, treasurer of the Gettysburg School District for the year ending June 1901.

DR.	
Balance in hands of treasurer at last settlement	\$1,186.19
Outstanding taxes for 1901	418.05
Outstanding taxes for 1902	1,537.37
Tax duplicate for 1901	5.33
State appropriation	3,003.70
Additional tax	14.44
Percentage for 1901	40.61
Amount received for tuition	3.50
Fines	50
	12,021.51

CR.	
Teacher salaries	\$1,550.00
Teachers attending County Institute	111.25
Secretary's salary	5.00
Treasurer's salary	75.00
Janitors salaries	691.00
Postage	11.00
Books, supplies, etc.	774.28
Coal	6.55
Wood	14.25
Auditing accounts	6.55
Painting high street school building	122.01
Water rent	8.00
Labor	15.82
Plumbing and material furnished	7.12
Insurance	12.00
Amalgams	1.51
Floor Oil	12.00
Lumber	3.94
Hardware	6.22
Pavement	324.10
Printing	5.55
Rooms, window shades & freight	19.76
Repairs	54.11
Trust officer	50.00
Diplomas	8.65
Additional exoneration for 1900 and 1901	1.82
Abatement for 1901	15.00
Exonerations for 1902	473.33
Outstanding taxes for 1901	2,551.92
Collectors fees	136.97
Cash in hands of treasurer	1,048.12
	1,920.53

BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT.	
Balance in hands of treasurer at last settlement	\$291.79
Outstanding taxes for 1901	199.81
Outstanding taxes for 1902	530.10
Amount of tax duplicate for 1901	2.44
Percentage for 1901	32.19
	3,497.55

CR.	
Bond paid	1,000.00
Coupons paid	450.00
State tax on bonds for 1901	41.80
Abatement for 1901	73.72
Additional exonerations for 1900 and 1901	22.38
Interest	127.34
Exonerations for 1902	81.27
Outstanding taxes for 1901, 1902 and 1903	1,950.20
Collectors fees	57.19
Cash in hands of treasurer	1,687.03
	3,197.55

We, the undersigned auditors do certify that we have examined the foregoing account of Charles A. Blocher, treasurer of the Gettysburg School District, and find them correct and that there is a balance of \$1,048.12 due the school fund and \$687.03 of the building fund in hands of treasurer.

JOHN D. KEITH,
J. ELMER MUSSELMAN,
Auditors.

Franklin Township School Account

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DR.	
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Regular appropriation	229.66
Special	114.24
Amount of tax	22.35
By note	82.51
	\$734.75

CR.	
Amount of teachers salaries	\$2,341.61
Amount for teachers attending County Institute	15.50
Directors mileage attending Directors Institute	1.94
Hamiltonban Twp. tuition	41.49
Treasurer's fees	84.57
Auditors and Clerks fees	7.51
Books and supplies	467.48
Wood and cutting	157.26
Coal and hauling	120.72
Lumber and shingles	51.80
Repairs	71.55
Stoves, pipe and repairs	44.12
Freight and expressage	11.92
Secretary and librarian salary	24.00
Cleaning school houses	37.50
Exonerations	70.92
Board of health Franklin twp. school district	119.71
Balance due to	\$75.34

We, the undersigned auditors of Franklin township, Adams county, Pa., on the 6th day of June, 1901 audited the above account and find it correct to the best of our knowledge and belief.

JAMES BALL,
EUGENE STRASBAUGH,
Auditors.

F. W. HARTMAN, Clerk.
Filed June 14, 1901, W. M. P. BAKER, Clerk.
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Menallen Township School Report.

ACCOUNT of Frederic Showers, Treasurer of Menallen township school board.

DR.	
From former treasurer	\$744.50
State appropriation	759.32
Special appropriation	87.44
Receipts for old lumber	60
Receipts for old stove	1.00
Received from collector	2.85
	4875.94

CR.	
Teachers salaries	2,855.00
Teachers attending institute	97.50
Secretary salary	60.00
Secretary distributing books	10.00
Treasurer salary	75.00
Attending county Dis. Association	5.51
School books and maps	547.27
Supplies	21.64
Repairs	235.19
Stores	25.50
Cleaning houses	42.00
Cleaning water closets	48.07
Freight	13.11
Incidentals	40.81
Publishing school account	4.00
Auditors fees	6.00
Balance in hands of treasurer	955.50
	4,875.94

RESOURCES.	
Cash on hand	635.90
Unused books and supplies	312.41
	948.31

We, the undersigned auditors for Menallen township do hereby certify that the above account is correct and true to the best of our knowledge and belief.

S. H. CRUM,
D. H. BEAMER,
ROBT. M. ELDON,
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ACCOUNT of Andrew Black, collector, in account with Menallen township school board.

DR.	
Collection 5 per cent off	\$ 971.00
Collection at par	129.89
Collection 5 per cent. added	276.33
Collection on duplicate of 1902	3.10
	2,580.32

CR.	
Cash paid treasurer	2,583.69
Abatement	45.55
Exonerations	23.12
Collectors commission	86.15
	2,688.51

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Coal	6.55
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Printing	5.55
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BUILDING FUND ACCOUNT.

A WOMAN'S REASON

[Original.]

There was enough of incident concentrated in the wedding day of Dr. Dmitri Urbanieff and Katharine Tonskol, two young Russians of the middle class, for a whole lifetime. Urbanieff had returned from his medical studies in Paris with a light heart, for Katharine was expecting him, and they were to be married soon after his arrival.

He found domesticated in the home of Katharine's father Count Alexievecch, who had some months previous appeared in the village near by and who had brought a letter of introduction to Tonskol. For what he came and how long he proposed to stay he gave no information. Dmitri, when he found the young man so intimate with the family of his sweetheart, was troubled, but he soon made the discovery that Katharine did not like the count, and this reassured him. Why she did not fancy her father's guest was a puzzle, for the doctor could see plainly that the count seemed to desire her favor. When Dmitri asked Katharine for a reason for her prejudice she gave him no better one than that Alexievecch was "cross eyed." Dmitri laughed at this feminine reason and thought no more about the matter.

The morning of the wedding day brought a shock to the community. A dozen persons in the vicinity were arrested, and the most harrowing feature was that the young doctor, who was to have been married in the evening, was among them. The prisoners instead of being given a trial were hurried off to Siberia. Count Alexievecch appeared to be as surprised and indignant as any one and volunteered to start at once for St. Petersburg, where he claimed to have influence, to procure the doctor's release. Dmitri was earnest in his gratitude and begged the count to strain every nerve to free

him before it should be too late. Katharine could only cling to her lover, despairing of ever seeing him again.

After her lover's departure she passed a few hours in an agony of despair. Then suddenly a desperate resolve took possession of her. She distrusted the count's promise. Shortly previous to the wedding day he had left her father's house and taken rooms in the village. Katharine ordered a drosky and drove to his rooms. Instead of sending for him to come down she ran upstairs and knocked at his door. She found him walking the floor.

"Why are you not on the way to St. Petersburg?" she asked.

"I was too late for the 10 o'clock train. There is no other till tomorrow."

"There is a train on the other road at 4 this afternoon. You have only to drive five miles to it to catch it."

"Eh? Are you sure? I don't believe

"There is time. Come. I have a drosky below. I will drive you myself."

The count began to busy himself with preparation, making a great deal of fuss while doing very little. Katharine saw his revolver lying on a table.

"You will need this," she said, taking it up and thrusting it in a pocket of her dress. "Come, we have no time to spare."

Alexievitch, cramming some brushes into a bag, accompanied her downstairs. They got into the drosky. Katharine seized the reins and drove away as fast as the horse would carry them.

As they were passing through a wood Katharine complained that her fingers were numb and asked the count to take the reins. He had no sooner done so than he felt something hard pressed against his neck and heard the

click of a pistol.

"Fiend," said Katharine. "I know all. You are one of the chiefs of police and have been ferreting out this plot. You have implicated Dmitri, to get him out of the way the better to get me into your clutches. I hate you, and I am going to kill you."

"Katharine! For heaven's sake, of what are you accusing me?"

"Write an order for the release of Dmitri or I fire."

"But I have no authority."

"Write."

The count, who had by this time caught a glance of the girl's desperate face, took out his notebook, tore out a leaf, wrote the order and gave it to her.

"Drop the reins and get out of the drosky!" she said. He obeyed, and Katharine, whipping up the horse, was soon out of sight.

She knew that the agents were waiting

She knew that the route the prisoners had taken was the one she was on, their conductor intending to take them on the train she had proposed to the count to take. She soon overtook the party, produced the order, which was respected, her lover got into the drosky and they drove homeward. When approaching the village they saw the count ahead of them. He was walking with his head bent down on his breast. When they came up to him he looked up as though in a dream. Dmitri got out of the drosky and demanded satisfaction for the wrong that had been done him. The count looked at Katharine with a hopeless expression, asked her to give Dmitri the revolver and bared his breast. Dmitri turned away, got into the drosky and, without a word from him or Katharine to the count, drove on.

At the hour that had been announced for the wedding the bride and groom were ready, and, as the news of Dmitri's release had spread like wildfire, the guests were assembled. The ceremony passed as quietly as had been expected.

When the bride and groom were alone together Dmitri asked:

"Katharine, how did you know the man was the cause of my arrest?"

"I didn't like the squint in his eyes," was her confident reply.

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ALL OVER THE COUNTY

REV. AND MRS. G. N. LAUFER IN RUN-OFF BUT ESCAPED WITH INJURY.

East Berlin Reservoir with a Million of Tadpoles and Small Fish in it—10,000 Buds on Rose Bush.

Rev. Geo. N. Laufer and wife were in a run-off on Sunday of last week. They were returning from McSherrytown where services had been held and had almost reached their door in New Oxford when the front axle of the buggy broke and the horse on wheels caused him to fall away. After passing over railroad bridge horse, buggy and its occupants rolled down a six foot embankment. The horse then freed himself. Mr. and Mrs. Laufer were held fast under top of buggy until assistance arrived. Mrs. Laufer fainted after being taken from wreck. Neither Mr. and Mrs. Laufer were seriously hurt. The buggy was badly wrecked and animal but slightly injured. Mrs. Laufer is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Myers of Gettysburg.

The School Board of Abbottstown at their meeting on June 15th, re-elected the old teachers, S. A. Naugle to school No. 1, salary \$40 and Miss Mellicie K. Eisenhart to school No. 2, salary \$35. Eight months term. Tax rate 4 mills. The board decided not to give school house hereafter for election purposes.

In cleaning out the reservoir in East Berlin last week it is said that about a million tadpoles and small fish were found. East Berlin feels relieved since the cleansing. Its dollars to doubtless that an inventory will never be published of what will be found in the Gettysburg reservoir. It has been twice as long since it has been cleaned as compared in time since East Berlin one was built. It would likely have three million live things in it.

Mrs. J. R. Darone of East Berlin has a large rambler rose bush and it is said to be a beautiful sight at the present time with between ten and twelve thousand buds and open roses on it.

The Huntington township school board recently organized by electing as President, William Harmon; Secretary, W. H. Smith, and Treasurer, B. F. Weaver. A tax of 1-2 mills for school purposes and 1-2 mills for building purposes was laid.

William Newman of Huntington township was compelled to kill a fine yearling mule last week. It was turned out to pasture and its right hind foot became entangled in one of the wires of a smooth wire fence, cutting the limb so badly that there was nothing else to be done but kill the animal.

Charles Grimes who has worked at his trade of cobbling for many years in York Springs had a stroke of paralysis last week. He recovered sufficiently to go with a niece to her home in York.

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THE property of Sarah Wolf, dec'd, in Abbottstown, was bid up to \$560 at a recent sale but was withdrawn.

TRIUMPHS OF MODERN SURGERY.—Wonderful things are done for the human body by surgery. Organs are taken out and scraped and polished and put back, or they may be removed entirely; bones are spliced; pipes take the place of diseased sections of veins; antiseptic dressings are applied to wounds, bruises, burns and like injuries before inflammation sets in, which causes them to heal without maturation and in one-third the time required by the old treatment. Chamberlain's Pain Balm acts on this same principle. It is an antiseptic and when applied to such injuries, causes them to heal very quickly. It also allays the pain and soreness. Keep a bottle of Pain Balm in your home and it will save you time and money, not to mention the inconvenience and suffering which such injuries entail. For sale by J. H. Huber, druggist.

M. G. NARINE, of Abbottstown, had a curiosity last week in the form of a chick with a double upper bill.

DRIVEN TO DESPERATION.—Living at an out of the way place, remote from civilization, a family is often driven to desperation in case of accident, resulting in Burns, Cuts, Wounds, Ulcers, etc. Lay in a supply of Bucklen's Arnica Salve. It's the best on earth. 25c at all drug stores.

WORST OF ALL EXPERIENCES.—Can anything be worse than to feel that every minute will be your last? Such was the experience of Mrs. S. H. Newson, Decatur, Ala., "For three years" she writes, "I endured insufferable pain from indigestion, stomach and bowel trouble. Death seemed inevitable when doctors and all remedies failed. At length I was induced to try Electric Bitters and the result was miraculous. I improved at once and now I'm completely recovered." For Liver, Kidney, Stomach and Bowel troubles Electric Bitters is the only medicine. Only 50c. It's guaranteed by all druggists. "I cannot live without you," He said, and it was true. She had dead loads of money, And all of his debts were due.

MOTHERS lose their dread for "that terrible second summer" when they have Dr. Fowler's Extract of Wild Strawberry in the house. Nature's specific for bowel complaints of every sort. LEROY BITTINGER, son of John R. Bittinger, met with an accident in his father's lime stone quarries, by which his jaw was broken and front teeth of both the upper and lower jaws knocked out.

FOR sick headache take Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets and a quick cure is certain. For sale by J. H. Huber.

A. M. BEAMER while driving near Arendtsville on a recent night was driven into from the rear. The buggy was splintered and both rear wheels broken.

GOOD SPIRITS.—Good spirits don't all come from Kentucky. Their main source is the liver and all the fine spirits ever made in the Blue Grass State could not remedy a bad liver or the hundred-and-one ill effects it produces. You can't have good spirits and a bad liver at the same time. Your liver must be in fine condition if you would feel buoyant, happy and hopeful, bright of eye, light of step, vigorous and successful in your pursuits. You can put your liver in fine condition by using Green's August Flower—the greatest of all medicines for the liver and stomach and a certain cure for dyspepsia or indigestion. It has been a favorite household remedy for over thirty-five years. August Flower will make your liver healthy and active and thus insure you a liberal supply of "good spirits." Trial size, 25c; regular bottles 75c. Sold at J. H. Huber's Drug Store.

CHARLES TAUGHENBAUGH, of Reading township, was driving on a recent Sunday with a horse which was apparently well when put in stable but was found dead the next morning.

"TISN'T safe to be a day without Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil in the house. Never can tell what moment an accident is going to happen.

A dog suffering with rabies was killed last week in Littlestown. It bit the nose of a mule belonging to H. W. Parr.

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DANIEL WEAVER, of Germany township, recently sold \$29.70 worth of spring chickens at a single sale.

STARTLING EVIDENCE.—Fresh testimony in great quantity is constantly coming in, declaring Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds to be unequalled. A recent expression from J. T. McFarland, Bentonsville, Va., serves as example. He writes: "I had Bronchitis for three years and doctored all the time without being benefited. Then I began taking Dr. King's New Discovery, and a few bottles wholly cured me." Equally effective in curing all Lung and Throat troubles, Consumption, Pneumonia and Grip. Guaranteed by all druggists. Trial bottles free, regular sizes 50c and \$1.00.

WOOD-WORK on exterior of the Reformed Church, at Abbottstown, is being repainted.

THROWN FROM A WAGON.—Mr. George K. Babcock was thrown from his wagon and severely bruised. He applied Chamberlain's Pain Balm freely and says it is the best liniment he ever used. Mr. Babcock is a well known citizen of North Plain, Conn. There is nothing equal to Pain Balm for sprains and bruises. It will effect a cure in one-third the time required by any other treatment. For sale by J. H. Huber.

MISS MAUD ASPIR, of Huntington township, recently graduated as a trained nurse from the Friends Hospital, Frankford, Philadelphia.

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CAPT. D. M. STEWART has been making some repairs to his property in York Springs occupied by E. E. Jacobs.

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Emanuel Chronister while hawking posts one day last week cut his right leg between knee and ankle by the glancing off of the axe. The wound was several inches in length and into the bone. Dr. Sheetz of New Oxford gave necessary attention.

CHAMBERLAIN'S STOMACH AND LIVER TABLETS BETTER THAN A DOCTOR'S PRESCRIPTION.—Mr. J. W. Turner, of Trubart, Va., says that Chamberlain's Stomach and Liver Tablets have done him more good than anything he could get from the doctor. If any physician in this country was able to compound a medicine that would produce such gratifying results in cases of stomach troubles, biliousness or constipation, his whole time would be used in preparing this one medicine. For sale by J. H. Huber.

GEORGE FICKES, of Huntington township, has repaired his barn which was recently wrecked by a storm.

SUED BY HIS DOCTOR.—"A doctor here has sued me for \$12.50, which I claimed was excessive for a case of cholera morbus," says R. White, of Coahoma, Cal. "At the trial the doctor's medical skill and medicine. I asked him if it was not Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy he used as I had good reason to believe it was, and he would not say under oath that it was not." No doctor could use a better remedy than this in a case of cholera morbus, it never fails. Sold by J. H. Huber.

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At a gathering of several ministers one of them, who is opposed to the so called "higher criticism," told the following story: "One day a member of a certain church, who had listened attentively for five years to the preaching of his pastor, took to the divine his Bible, which was truly a sight to behold, with whole books clipped out here or a passage gone there. Indeed, between the covers there was little else left but a few shreds of paper. The pastor was horrified and rebuked his parishioner for using the Bible so shockingly. The parishioner meekly replied: "It is all the result of your preaching. When I went home from church each Sunday I cut out of the book that which you had criticised in your sermon of that day. That verse on the Trinity was an interpolation, so out went the strong verse. Then the canonicity of this book and that was doubtful, so out went this book and that. John did not write the gospel of John, so out went what was called the gospel of John. This bit of history was not history, only allegory, so out went that false and deceiving thing. Positively, sir, I have been faithful with my shears, and this is all the Bible I have left—the two covers and a few tatters."—Baltimore Sun.

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Conrad Allwine Dies Respected by
Everyone Who Knew Him.

Major Robert Bell died on last Saturday at his home in Straban township at his 75th year. He came of a family who had been natives of the county for more than a hundred years. His grandfather, James Bell, was a non-commissioned officer in the Revolutionary War and at its close located on a farm in Menallen township. His father was born in Straban township and the Major in Menallen township, March 5, 1830. He was the youngest of four children. He received his education in the county schools and at Oak Ridge Academy. In 1863 he raised a company of cavalry and was mustered into the United States service June 16, of that year and was chosen captain of his company. The following year he was promoted to office of Major of the 21st Pa. Cavalry and as such served until the close of the war, having participated in a number of engagements and battles, and being present at the surrender at Appomattox. For many years after the war the Major cared for the horse that had carried him safely through the war until it died of old age. Major Bell followed the occupation of farmer principally during his life. In 1867 he became a director of the First National Bank of Gettysburg and in 1875 was elected its cashier, in the days when the entrance to bank was on Diamond and guarded by the two lions, now in front of the G. A. R. Post room. He remained cashier about ten years and then went back to his farm in Straban township where he died. In 1853 he married Abigail, daughter of Jacob King, whose death preceded his own less than two years ago. He is survived by the following children: Fannie J. Bell, County Commissioner James F. Bell, Mrs. Nannie A. Taughinbaugh, Martha A. Bell, M. W. Bell, Albert K. Bell, Mrs. Carrie Rutt and J. Grant Bell, and also by twelve grandchildren. The Major was President of the 21st Pa. Cavalry Survivors' Association at the time of his death.

The funeral took place on Monday afternoon, Rev. Seth Russell Downie conducting services with interment at the Great Cowwago Presbyterian church graveyard. Major Bell had been steadily failing in health for some years but was confined to his bed only four days. While feebleness of body prevented his engaging in long conversations, his mind was clear and his intellect unimpaired to the end. He was a man of great kindness of heart and was ever charitable and generous to any one in need. A loving husband, an indulgent father, a true patriot and a good neighbor is the record he has left.

Mrs. Henry Osborn

Mrs. Henry Osborn, of Straban township, died very suddenly on the 19th from a stroke of paralysis, aged 65 years. She was stricken early in the morning and remained in an unconscious condition until death in the afternoon of same day. The funeral took place on last Wednesday morning, Rev. W. H. Bender conducting the services, with interment at the Pines church near New Chester. She leaves beside her husband six sons and two daughters.

Mrs. David Eline

Mrs. Rebecca Eline, widow of the late David Eline, of McSherrystown, died Monday evening, June 20, from inflammation of the bowels, after an illness of one week, aged about 60 years. She is survived by three sons, Simon and Felix Eline, of McSherrystown, and William, of Mount Rock, and two daughters, Mrs. W. J. Adams, of Hanover, and Mrs. Charles Hombaugh, of McSherrystown. Two sisters also survive her, Mrs. John Culp and Miss Louisa Smith, both of McSherrystown.

The funeral was held Thursday morning from St. Mary's Catholic church, where a Requiem Mass was celebrated by Rev. Father Hemler. Interment at Cowwago Chapel.

Conrad Allwine

On last Friday afternoon Conrad Allwine died at his home in this place on West Middle street in his 73rd year. He had been living in this place about fourteen years, first as drayman for J. O. Blocher when he ran the market car to Baltimore and later for the Hanover Produce Co. and was a valued employee, being faithful and thoroughly reliable in every way. Before moving here he had been following

occupation of a farmer and was born in Hamilton township. Funeral took place on Monday morning, High Mass having been celebrated by Rev. Father Crotty in St. Francis Xavier church with interment in the New Oxford cemetery. He is survived by one sister Mrs. Nathaniel Miller of East Middle street.

Mrs. John Delp

Mrs. John Delp died at her home near Idaville last Monday from consumption aged about 45 years. The funeral took place on Wednesday. She leaves a husband and a number of children.

John Eicholtz

John Eicholtz a highly respected citizen of Tyrone township, died at his home June 23rd, 1904, aged 52 years, 7 months and 8 days. The funeral services were held on Sunday morning in St. Paul's Lutheran Church in Straban township, with interment in cemetery near church, Rev. H. W. Bender conducting the services. He is survived by the following children: Wm. F. residing near by; Mrs. Sampson Kepner, of New Oxford; Mrs. Augustus Stough of Straban township; Mrs. E. P. Brenizer, of Heidlersburg; Mrs. Theodore Sowers, Mrs. Wm. Foosse, Mrs. Frank Phillips and Mrs. Wilson Sowers, of York City; Mrs. Edw. Bollinger, near Dultera's Station, and Lucy A. Eicholtz at home. 22 grandchildren and 12 great-grandchildren also survive, and one brother Benjamin Eicholtz of New Oxford survives.

Mrs. J. Harvey Neely

Less than one short year of a happy married life was the allotment of time to Mrs. Edna Florence Neely, wife of J. Harvey Neely, editor and proprietor of the York Springs "Comet." She fell asleep yesterday at 2 a. m. from Bright's disease following birth of a son five weeks ago. It was August 3, 1903, Edna Florence Austin became the wife of Mr. Neely at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Austin of Northfield, New Jersey. There was a short honeymoon at Atlantic City and then the happy couple came back to York Springs and life was sunshine and happiness. Less than one short happy year brought the joy of a new life and the sorrow for one slipping away. Everything that human skill could do was done to prolong that life. An aunt and sister were with her at the end. Of such are the mysteries of life. Mr. Neely is a graduate of the Compiler office and there goes out to him our profoundest sympathy. Funeral takes place tomorrow afternoon at 2 p. m., with interment in Sunnyside Cemetery at York Springs.

John Bigham

John Bigham, an influential and well known citizen of Freedom township, died at his home near Greencastle on Monday night about 9 o'clock. He had been in failing health for a year or more, having had one or more slight strokes. He retired Monday evening in his usual health and death came soon afterwards from a stroke. He had been a successful farmer. Besides wife he is survived by four children, Gray, living near Harrisburg, John of Harrisburg, Paxton and Mary at home.

The General Slocum Disaster.

The police census of the disaster of the burning of the "General Slocum" in New York harbor on June 15, is nearly complete. The total of bodies recovered is now over nine hundred. The waters were dynamited and brought many bodies to the surface. The hulk has been raised and searched. The dead and missing will reach about 1100. A relief fund has been subscribed which has run up into the thousands quickly.

Body of Sirevig Found.

The body of Eugene A. Strevig, the Hanover newspaper man drowned at Cape May was recovered last week, being picked up by two fishermen three miles from place of drowning. It was identified by a ring he wore. Body was shipped to Hanover and was buried in Mt. Olivet cemetery at that place.

Japan-Russian War

The past week has brought news from the seat of war of the destruction of two Russian battleships and one cruiser near Port Arthur. The Japanese learning of location of Russian squadron sent among the fleet several torpedo boat destroyers. It is said the loss of life was great. On land the great armies are moving toward each other in a great game of strategy and news of a battle is expected at any time.

THROUGH DAISY CHAIN TO ALTAR

WAS THE GROOM AT THE BRAMBLE-WIS-
OTZKEY WEDDING LAST WEEK

Gettysburg, Fairfield, Littlestown, New Oxford and other Points Furnish Brides and Grooms.

Bramble Wisotzkey.

Last Thursday afternoon at the home of W. L. H. Wisotzkey, corner of Stevens and Stratton streets, two little girls, Ethel and Louisa Weaner, daughters of L. O. G. Weaner led the way of the bridal party through the parlors filled with guests, each carrying a daisy chain, reaching to the mantel piece in front of which the ceremony was performed. H. S. Lewars played Schubert wedding march as the party entered the parlors. The groom, was Prof. Geo. Howard Bramble, with Prof. H. O. Himes, as best man, and the bride, Ida G. Wisotzkey, with Mrs. S. A. Bamsal of Lansdowne, Pa., as matron of honor. The parlors were beautifully decorated with palms, ferns and daisies. The gown of the bride was white silk mousseline, with real lace trimming. The veil was fastened with sweet peas and she carried white brim roses. The matron of honor was dressed in white Persian muslin gown with point-de-lieu lace with girdle of yellow pane velvet and carried yellow roses. Dr. W. H. Dumbor of St. Mark's Lutheran Church, of Baltimore, pastor of the bride and groom performed the ceremony, the double ring service being used. Mr. and Mrs. Bramble left on the 4.15 train on the Reading R. R. for Buffalo, N. Y. agara Falls and World's Fair, returning in August to Mr. Holly Springs and to Baltimore the end of August. The groom is Professor of Mathematics in Baltimore Polytechnic Institute. There were a number of out of town guests at the wedding.

Miss Musselman

On Tuesday evening of last week at 8 o'clock, at the home of the bride on East Middle street, Murray E. Long, son of R. E. Long, the laundryman, and Bessie W. Musselman, daughter of Mrs. Louisa Musselman, were married. Mrs. Larson Musselman of Fairfield, aunt of the bride, played the wedding march. The bride's gown was of white silk Persian lawn and she carried white carnations. She was attended by her cousin, Miss Esther Harbaugh of Fairfield, as bridesmaid and Roy Long, brother of the groom, was best man. The ceremony was performed by Rev. C. L. Ritter, pastor of the Fairfield Lutheran Church and a former pastor of the bride. It was a quiet wedding, attended only by immediate families and a few friends.

Hermer-Mehring

Tuesday morning of last week at the home of the bride, Alice M. Melting, youngest daughter of John O. Mehling of Littlestown and Albert A. Porter of Littlestown, Pa., a former student at college here in the scientific course, were united in marriage. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. Hamilton Smith, pastor of Redeemer's Reformed Church of Littlestown, in the presence of the immediate family and a few friends. The young couple left Littlestown on 5.38 a. m. train on a honeymoon trip to the West.

Robinson-Lau

James Robinson, only son of Mrs. Caroline Robinson of New Oxford, and Emma Lau, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. G. Lau of the same place, were united in marriage on last Tuesday morning in the Church of the Immaculate Conception, New Oxford. Rev. Father Reutter conducting the nuptial mass. Miss Daisy Hagerman of McSherrystown, was bridesmaid and Geo. Lau, brother of the bride, best man. A wedding dinner was served at the home of the bride to a large number of friends and relatives.

Leib-Spahr

A great feast followed the marriage of Arthur Leib of Reading township and Florence E. Spahr of Washington township, York county, at the home of the bride. The ceremony was performed at Abbottstown on June 16 by Rev. R. H. Clare. The gown of the bride was white silk mull and she carried carnations. The evening of same day followed the wedding feast attended by about two hundred people who had a royal good time, lasting until after midnight.

Wedding To-day.

The wedding of Miss Virginia O'Neal and Rev. John Thomas Huddle will take place at 3 o'clock P. M. to-day at the home of the bride. Guests have been arriving by every

train, for several days. Among those out of town who have arrived are, Mrs. Benj. Founce, and Col. and Mrs. John P. Nicholson, of Philadelphia, Mrs. Henry Cook, of Ridley Park, Mrs. Burrell, Miss Burrell and Mrs. Catharine Claybaugh, of Washington, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. Dellone and Mrs. Sollday, of Hanover, Mrs. J. Ross Myers, of Roland Park, Md., Mrs. Craig, of Columbia, Mr. and Mrs. B. F. Shriver and Miss Shriver, Mr. Lewis Shriver, Miss Catharine Shriver and Mr. H. Wirt Shriver, of Maryland. Wm. Huddle brother of groom, of Virginia, is present and the following of groom's Washington congregation, Mr. Albert Fox, Miss Fox, Miss Kalb and Wm. Reinmiller.

THE REPUBLICAN TICKET

How it Was Made at Chicago Last Week.

The Republican National Convention convened in Chicago on Tuesday of last week. Hon. Elihu Root was the temporary chairman. The session on Tuesday lasted one hour and twenty-two minutes. The Committee on Credentials recognized the Spooner delegates from Wisconsin, turning down those of Governor LaFollette, and thereby making Wisconsin a doubtful state. On Wednesday the convention was handed over to Uncle Joe Cannon of Illinois as Permanent Chairman. After his speech, it was decided to give Hawaii two delegates instead of six as given all other territories. After that the platform was read and it so used up the delegates that only ten seconds applause followed. To get up more enthusiasm Uncle Joe let loose the Rough Rider telegram to Morocco that "Perdicaris must be delivered at once alive or steps will be taken to capture Raisuli dead or alive." On Thursday Ex-Governor Black nominated Theodore Roosevelt according to latter's plans and speeches seconding the nomination were made by Senator Beveridge of Indiana, Geo. A. Knight of California, Harry Schwell Edwards of Georgia, Ex-Governor Bradley of Kentucky, Joseph B. Cotton of Minnesota and Harry G. Cummings, colonel, of Maryland. Then all the votes were cast for Roosevelt. Senator Dolliver of Iowa nominated Chas. W. Fairbanks of Indiana for Vice President. Senator Depew of New York and Governor Pennypacker of Pennsylvania and Senator Thomas Carter of Montana seconded the nomination in speeches. Votes were formally cast and the delegates hurried away, out of humor because they had been kept three days in the city to do work all cut out before hand, which could have been done in a single day.

Grand Civic Club Festival

The festival of the Civic Club was an unqualified success from beginning to end. The ladies worked with untiring zeal and were well rewarded. The whole town turned out to show their appreciation of their efforts. Every detail showed the zeal, ability and management of the ladies that have put into their treasury almost \$200 for town improvement. Xavier Hall was beautifully decorated with flags, palms, ferns, daisies and flowers. On the walls were the emblems of the work of the Civic Club, brooms, brushes and the like. The features were lunch tables at which a dainty menu of sandwiches, deviled eggs, coffee, ice cream and strawberries were served. There was a large cake table, candy table, with special features in the fortune telling booth, fish pond boat, well of lemonade and silhouette work. \$50 had been collected in cash for the festival. \$85 was the amount of sales on Friday evening and \$114 on Saturday evening. The expenses will approximate \$55 and the Civic Club hopes to have a net sum near \$200 to go into their treasury. The work of the festival involved a prodigious amount of work in the planning, the collecting, over \$0 cakes were contributed, in the decorating, and in the work of the evenings in every department from the kitchen to the fish pond and the ladies of the Civic Club are deserving of unbounded praise for their labor and the object for which they worked.

Thief Got Small Sum of Money.

From the rooms of Miss Sefton in the Eckert building on the Diamond there was stolen on last Saturday three dollars in money and a key.

Meeting of the Civic Club.

There will be a regular meeting of the Civic Club in the Council Chamber of the engine house at 7 p. m., Friday, July 1.

S. M. Stewart, Secretary.

THE FOUNTAINDALE FIGHT

HANOVER PAPERS TAKE EXCEPTION TO
STATEMENTS MADE LAST WEEK.

Several Pertinent Questions up to the Fon.
John R. Bittinger to Answer in Regard
to the Matter.

It matters not whether the War Department at Washington has in its official list the Fountindale fight on June 28, 1863, or not, the facts as given in last week's paper can be vouched for by one who made the detail and who participated in the same. The officer who commanded the detail is alive and will verify the facts. Whether the same is to be technically called a fight or skirmish or engagement is neither here nor there, but the fact remains that a scouting detail of twenty men met a Confederate foraging party of twice their number and the result was one Confederate killed and several wounded and about sixteen captured.

The article was criticized by Hanover papers for two assertions. 1st, for any claim that first blood was shed in the civil war on free soil at either Hanover or Fountindale, that honor belonging to Greencastle. 2nd, that no one with any knowledge of the facts has claimed that at Hanover the first fight took place on free soil.

As to the first criticism the article was in error, but unintentionally so. It is true Corporal Riall was killed at Greencastle six days before the Fountindale fight and several years ago a monument was erected to mark the spot where he fell. While the assertion was quite broad in the article yet the point of view in mind was that two days before the Hanover engagement the Fountindale fight took place, in which there was blood shed. In justice to the facts of the Greencastle skirmish this correction is gladly made as the writer of the article desired accuracy and nothing more.

As to the second criticism there must be a difference. Of course no one with any knowledge of the facts has claimed that at Hanover during civil war the first fight and first blood was shed on free soil and the Hanover papers with full knowledge of the facts make no such claim. But Hon. John R. Bittinger, Adams County's representative in procuring the appropriation for the Hanover monument did make an assertion that conveyed that meaning.

On page 690 of the Legislature Record of the Sessions of 1903 appears the fact that Representative John R. Bittinger introduced a bill for an appropriation for the erection of a monument or statue commemorative of the first engagement that took place on free soil during the civil war.

Before the Bittinger bill is allowed to become a law it is amended as shown by same Legislative Record by dropping words "first" and "free soil" during the civil war" and bill is passed for a monument or statue "commemorative of the engagement that took place on the streets and around the town of Hanover on June 30th 1863."

While it is most eminently proper that the Hanover engagement should be so commemorated yet the record of Hon. John R. asks a few pertinent questions.

1st. Did he know the facts when he introduced his bill to commemorate the "first," that including the Fountindale fight seven other small fights had taken place before the one at Hanover, two of which were in his native county?

2nd. Or did he deliberately use the word "engagement" so as to technically get on record a "first" recognition for Hanover as against other struggles, some in his own county, which the War Department only dignified as "skirmishes" and thus take advantage of the honor belonging elsewhere?

Will the Hanover papers inquire of the Hon. John R. whether he knows what he was doing when he tried to appropriate for Hanover the thunder belonging to some other place and got caught at it, or whether in ignorance of the facts he did not know what he was doing.

NEW RURAL DELIVERY RULES

Going Into Effect on the First Day
of July

Order No. 569 issued by the Post Office Department sets out:

The Act of Congress making appropriations for the service of the Post Office Department, for the fiscal year beginning July 1, 1904, in connection with the appropriation for the pay of Rural Carriers, provides that:

"On and after said date (July 1, 1904,) said carriers shall not solicit business or receive orders of any kind for any person, firm or corporation, and shall not, during their hours of employment, carry any merchandise for hire; Provided, That, said carriers may carry merchandise for hire for and upon the request of patrons residing upon their respective routes, whenever the same shall not interfere with the proper discharge of their official duties, and under such regulation as the Postmaster General may prescribe."

In pursuance of the above provision of law, it is ordered:

That rural carriers are not permitted to solicit business or receive orders of any kind for any person, firm or corporation.

No mailable matter may be handled by rural carriers while serving their routes, unless the proper postage has been prepaid, with the single exception of County Newspapers, which, under law, are permitted to be carried free throughout the County in which they are published, to actual subscribers, and such newspapers addressed to subscribers, residents on rural routes, must be deposited at the Post Office the same as papers for other subscribers.

The hire for merchandise carried on request of the patron of rural free delivery must be paid by the patron. Carriers will not be permitted to receive any compensation from the seller of such merchandise.

Articles or packages, which are mailable, which are handed to the carrier or deposited in the Post Office or in a rural letter box or in a collection box located on a rural route, with a request that the rural carrier deliver same, are subject to the rules regulating mail matter, including the payment of postage thereon.

Articles or packages that are not mailable, which the patron desires the rural carrier to carry, must be delivered to the carrier in person, and in carrying merchandise for hire rural carriers are not permitted to leave their routes as officially laid out, except anything that will in any way delay the delivery of mail, or in any way interfere with the efficiency of the service.

Carriers while on duty are not permitted to carry any spirituous liquor either for themselves, for sale or for the accommodation of their patrons.

Rural carriers are required to permit Post Office Inspectors, or other duly accredited agents of the Post Office Department, to accompany them on their regular trips over their routes. They must not carry other passengers nor permit any person, other than authorized postal officials, to ride with them or to have access to the mails.

Rural carriers must not engage in any business during their prescribed hours of service, or conduct any business after hours which offers any temptation to solicit any patronage on their routes, or which, by reason of their position in the Government service, gives them special advantage over competitors, such as book canvassing, soliciting insurance, selling sewing machines, or other kindred occupations.

Carriers must not, either in person or through others, directly or indirectly, by any method whatever, solicit money, gifts or presents: nor issue for profit, souvenir or postal hand books: nor co-operate with or assist the publishers of same to secure the patronage of the public: nor compile directories for public use or assist publisher to compile them: nor furnish the names and addresses of patrons on their routes, for pay or favor, to any business establishment, or to any individual, except to those departmental officials who, under the regulations are entitled to the same.

(Signed) H. C. PAYNE.

Postmaster-General.

Business Changes

Miss Jennie Kuhn has bought out D. Carmen in the business of making fresh candies and sale of fruit and will carry on the business in the store room opposite Central Hotel, Baltimore street.

Joseph Carver bought on Wednesday of last week the Battlefield Museum from Rev. H. G. Blair, who had purchased the same from the Misses Danners. He will continue to carry on same at the old stand on Baltimore street.

Lightning Pranks

A cold stroke of lightning played pranks at the house of William Yengst at Uriah last week. It went down side of house tearing off the plaster. It struck a mirror and shattered it to pieces and continued its course to the cellar. Miss Jennie Yengst was given a shower of plaster but was not hurt in the least.

G. W. WEAVER & SON

THE LEADERS

DAINTY WASHABLE DRESS GOODS

Much of it at less than the maker expected to get for it. Why? Too cold in early spring. Especially the finer Imported Goods were a great disappointment because of the cool spring weather we have had.



While they sold the usual early orders there were no reorders and down went the price to make settlements with assignors. We are now offering

Fine Embroidered Batistes at 50c., imported to sell at 75c.
Fine Embroidered Cotton Batistes at 37½c. imported to sell at 50c and 75c.
Fine Silk Stripe Lawns at 29c in the large floral effects, made to sell at 40c.
Fine Printed Floral Designs on Silk Mulls at 37½c, made to sell at 50c.
Newest effects in Domestic Lawns and Batiste at 10 and 12½c, made to sell at 15 and 20c.

All Colors of Silk Mulls, plain and embroidered, will close at 19c, were 25 to 37½c.

An opportunity to get a rich dress for wedding or party wear at little cost.

Cotton Nub Voiles and Linen Voiles reduced to 25c, were 40 and 50c. Many other reductions.

WHITE COTTON DRESS GOODS

A suitable color and fabric for all sizes from the infant to the grandmother. Nothing so charmingly cool and daintily dressy as the many fabrics that come under the name of White Goods. We have considered ourselves very fortunate in securing from some holders who got scared at the lateness of the season, of lots of

35 and 40c Mercerized Waistings in neat effects, which we sell at 25c.

25 and 30c qualities at 17c.

25c Persian Lawns at 20c.

20c Persian Lawns at 15c.

We will make special low prices on French Batistes, wash Chiffons and Lawns in short lengths suitable for children's dresses or ladies shirt waists.

DRESS AND WALKING SKIRTS IN WOOL AND SILK

The ready-made skirt business of this store has been of phenomenal growth, simply because we have catered to particular people's tastes in the matter of make, correctness of style and fit. While we may have at time you read this 150 Dress and Walking Skirts left we are broken up in sizes and many of the cloths cannot be reordered so down goes the price to quicken your buying. The quoted prices to



give you an idea of the savings.

Our \$5 Leader to \$4.

Our \$5.75 Leader to \$4.75.

Some that were \$8, \$10 and \$12 to \$6.75 and many other reductions.

This is an opportunity to buy at a re-

Mid Summer Dress Goods

ALMOST six months gone of 1904 and we desire to say to our patrons not boastfully, but because we believe they will rejoice with us, that the newly enlarged store has done the increased business we planned and hoped for. We know that the increased expenditure of rebuilding and enlargement is appreciated. At no time has the comfort of this store been so much in evidence as now while the thermometer has been soaring---at all times of the day we have a delightful breeze of air---and shopping here is as pleasant and comfortable as reading about fashions under a spreading oak.

duction sale from a larger assortment than will be found anywhere outside of the large city stores. Colors and styles to suit taste and to fit all forms but not all sizes of each kind. Misses Skirts reduced one-fourth.

FOR ONE WEEK ONLY

Wool Dress Goods--Opportunity Extraordinary

In order to lower the money value of our Wool Dress Goods stock we will sell without reservation for one week beginning June 23 and continuing to 29, all Dress Goods at one-fourth off, this includes wool dress goods of every character and color.

REMNANTS at one-half price. A money saving time for you even if you lay the goods away for some months.

EMBROIDERY, LACES, APPLIQUES AND MEDALLIONS

We are safe in making the assertion that in no store anywhere outside of a metropolis is there such a stock of fine Laces and Embroidery as we show. The stock at present is twice too large. You know what that means here. We desire to clean up odds and ends accumulating from a brisk season running from 1



yd. to 10 and in order to do so quickly have remarked them at much less than the regular prices. In laces will be found some high class as well as medium qualities in every right kind of trimming Lace. Also about 1000 yds. of Remnant Embroidery, some of them mill remnants, others from our own stock, at half and two-thirds price value. This is good fortune for you as the lot embraces widths and grades for every use. These special bargain lots will be separate from our regular priced lines. There is never any "make out" about special price sales here.

Splendid Values In SHIRT WAISTS AND SHIRT WAIST SUITS

The Shirt Waist like the man's straw hat has come to stay, as a hot weather garment and no lady can have too many of them. The very best brain work has been put on the designing of Shirt Waists and Suits this season because it has become one of the greatest branches of the garment business---and while we have done our best to fill the demand with only such made goods as we care to sell---we have not kept up with it. Now, however, we have received a belated order of 5 doz. PERSIAN LAWN WAISTS (a drop only if they had reached us in May as we intended) every one worth \$1.25 that we will sell at \$1.00.

About 3 doz., some just received, (belated) goods worth \$1.50 to \$3.50 will be closed at a cut price.

About 40 Mercerized Vesting Waists left from early spring selling that were \$2.50 to \$4.00 at \$1.50 for a choice to close.

Hot Weather Silk Shirt Waists \$3.

White and Black---dressy and comfortable \$3.75 to \$4.75.

Black and Colored, Poie de Soie, Crepe de Chene, dressy, \$5.

Shirt Waist Suits \$1.50, \$2 to \$5.

TAILORED SUITS

If you contemplate a trip to the fair, seashore, mountains, anywhere, one of these elegant Tailored Suits is a necessity. If too warm to wear the jacket at all times, there's the skirt to wear with separate waists. We desire to clean the racks entirely of what were bought for spring selling and so down goes the price, one-fourth. As there is only one or so of a color or kind we think it useless to give descriptions, but to impress the saving more fully. We wish you to contemplate the price cut.

Was \$20 now \$15.

Was \$15 now \$11.25.

Was \$10 now \$7.50.

A number of between prices.

CARPETS RUGS AND MATTINGS

In order to get the amount of stock down to a minimum for the beginning of the fall season we have made some saving and interesting prices. Stock still



fairly complete includes Axminsters, Velvets, Tapestries and Ingrains. Elegant assortment of All Worsted Smyrna Rugs will sell at 20 per cent. less

than the markets. Sizes run from mat size to carpet size.

SPECIAL REDUCTION on several 9x12 ft. Smyrnas, elegant quality. Regular price \$27.50 will sell for \$20.

9x12 ft. Axminster, regular price \$27.50 will sell at \$22.50.

All Wool Ingrain Art Squares 3x3 were \$6.50 now \$5.60. 3x3½ were \$7.35 now \$6.50.

Crex or cross matting---regular price 40 cts. will close at 33c.

This is an excellent floor covering for offices, halls, churches, Sunday school rooms or any place that gets hard service.

SEASONABLE HOSIERY AND UNDERWEAR

When we say reasonable we mean



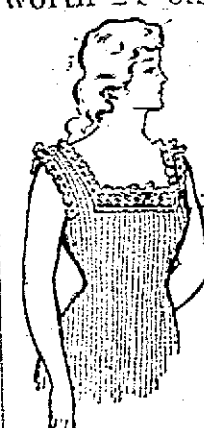
suitable to any season or to the variability of the seasons; for all ages or sizes. In Ladies' Hosiery the fashionable

able Gauze Lisle in both Imported and Domestic make. Lace Hosiery in new patterns, both black and tan.

SPECIALS are:--

Ladies' and Misses' Fine Lisle Lace Hose, black, the 25c kinds 17c.

Ladies' Fine Gauze Cotton, seamless throughout, (even the toe), shaped ankle, worth 21 cts at 15c.



Child's and Misses' Fine Imported, rib black and tan, in all sizes, 25c.

Child's and Misses' Fine Ribbed Summer Weight at 15c and 19c according to size, worth 25c.

Children's and Ladies' Gauze and Ribbed Underwear, in Cotton, Lisle, or Wool.

UMBRELLAS and PARASOLS

We have recently secured, 50 26 in. size, ladies' style, natural sticks, in a cloth

that has sold at \$1.39 which we offer in this sale at \$1 suitable for sun or rain. Also

have gone over our stock and remarked about 50 others in both men's and ladies' sizes that were from \$1 to \$5, some colored, and marked

most of them down to two-thirds and some to half.

We are showing a very elegant assortment of the newest colors and styles bought from one of the very best factories that we marked at the usual

small profits put on regular goods, which makes the price less than the usual of similar goods.



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STORE CLOSSES AT 6 P. M., SATURDAYS EXCEPTED

Dougherty & Hartley

Black and Colored Dress Goods

Underpriced because we are making room for

FALL STOCK

5 or More Pieces of Voiles

Black, White, Navy, Tan &c. Regular 50 ct., goods now 39c.

Black and Colors. Regular \$1.00 goods, now 79 cts.

Black Goods

All Black goods for \$1.90 and up now cut at prices to reduce stock.

Special Sale of Wash Fabrics

500 yards or over of Lawns and Batistes. Sold 6 1/2, 8 and 10c

Our price to close them 5c., per yard.

Gingham Remnants

Small lot of Bates Seersucker Dress Patterns, 5 to 20 yard pieces. Worth 12 1/2 cts., now 9 cts.

Rep Linens and Mixed Linens

Heavy weight suited for Skirts and Boys Suits, goods sold regularly at 25 cts. Price to close 15 cts.

A Lot of Cotton Voiles

Some less than Dress Patterns. Sold 15 and 20 cts. Price now 12 1/2 cts.

White Goods Persian Lawns

Special values just bought. Worth 20 cts., our price 12 1/2 cts.

White Madras

Mercerised, and figured striped, a handsome line of these goods, worth 50 cts., now 35. Our 30 and 35 ct., quality now 25cts Special values in cheaper numbers.

Notions the Wanted Kind

Are found here. Belts in the latest fads.

Collars

New arrivals. Prices as low as 8 cts. Special values 13, 15 and 25 cts.

UNDERWEAR
HOSIERY
GLOVES

Full Stock at Popular Prices

FOUND : FOUND
A place where I can buy
SILVERWARE,
WATCHES,
CLOCKS,
JEWELRY,
FOUNTAIN PENS,
STERLING SILVER
NOVELTIES.
1847 ROGERS' SILVERWARE.
A place where I can get Glasses to
fit my face and suit my eyes.
A place to have my Watches, Clocks
and Jewelry repaired reasonable and
Engraving neatly done.
And that place is
CHRITZMAN'S
NEW JEWELRY STORE,
26 Balto. St. Gettysburg

HUBER'S
DRUG
STORE
BALTIMORE
STREET.

AN ORDINANCE
PROVIDING FOR AN ANNUAL LICENSE
TAX ON ALL CARRIAGES, VEHICLES
&c. CARRYING PERSONS FOR PAY
WITHIN THE BOROUGH OF GETTYS-
BURG, PENNA., LIMITING THE
CHARGES AND REGULATING THE
SAME.
Be it enacted and ordained by the Burgess
and Town Council of the Borough of Gettys-
burg, Penna., and it is hereby enacted and
ordained by authority of the same.
SEC. 1.—It shall not be lawful for any per-
son to run or use any hack, wagon, carriage,
omnibus or other vehicle for the carrying of
persons for pay within the said Borough
without first having obtained a license for
that purpose, which shall be issued by the
Burgess, on payment by the applicant in the
manner hereinafter provided, of an annual
license tax of FIVE DOLLARS for a one-
horse vehicle, of TEN DOLLARS for a two-
horse vehicle, and of THREE DOLLARS for a
four-horse vehicle, and of THREE DOLLARS
for each and every vehicle over two owned,
owned and driven by one individual or firm;
the payment of the said license tax shall be made
to the Treasurer of the said Borough, who
shall receipt for the same and countersign
the license certificate before the same shall be
valid.
SEC. 2.—The rate or price of fare within the
limits of the said Borough shall be dated as of
the sum of TWENTY-FIVE CENTS for each
person.
SEC. 3.—The said Borough shall provide and
furnish a suitable tag or device of durable
material, numbered from one consecutively,
and which shall vary in color from year to
year and commence at No. 1 each year, and
be given the applicants as the licenses are
issued, and posted by them in a visible place
on the right-hand outside of the vehicle
licensed. The said tags and numbers shall
remain the property of the Borough and shall
be returned to the Burgess on the expiration
of the license, or if not so returned and used
after the expiration of the license the same
shall be deemed a violation of this ordinance.
SEC. 4.—All licenses issued under the provi-
sions of this ordinance shall be dated as of
June 1st, 1904, and as of June 1st of each
succeeding year and expire on June 1st of the
following year. Provided, however, that all
licenses issued under the Ordinance approved
April 27th, 1891, shall expire as therein pro-
vided, unless the holders thereof agree to
surrender the same and receive a proportion-
ate reduction, to be computed and allowed
by the Burgess, for a license under this Ordi-
nance.
SEC. 5.—Any person violating any of the
provisions of this Ordinance and convicted
thereof before the Burgess or a Justice of the
Peace shall forfeit and pay a fine of not less
than five nor more than fifty dollars and the
costs of prosecution, to be recovered accord-
ing to law.
SEC. 6.—The Ordinance approved April 27th,
1891, relating to the licensing of hacks, &c., is
hereby repealed.
Enacted into an Ordinance this 23rd day of
June, 1904.
Attest— President of Town Council.
W. H. KALBFLEISCH,
Secretary.
Approved this 23rd day of June, 1904.
H. S. BENNER,
Burgess.

SPECIAL in Millinery. — I am now
closing out my stock of summer mil-
linery at a big reduction and feel
sure it will pay those in need of a Hat
to call, there are some extra bargains.
Don't wait until all are picked over.
Anna Reek,
322-4f Baltimore St.
The Mummaburg Union S. S. will
hold their annual festival on Saturday,
July 2.
Everybody Come.
Committee.
We the undersigned, from July 1st,
1904, will sell grain and all kinds of
feed for cash only.
L. C. Plank, Table Rock, Pa.
L. J. Peters, Guermesey, Pa.
I. K. Arent, Arendtsville.
R. B. Myers, Arendtsville, Pa.
Biglerville Warehouse Co.,
Biglerville, Pa.

ANOTHER FIRE IN LITTLESTOWN
IT FIRST TACKLED ICE HOUSE IN REAR OF
SOUTH EAST CORNER OF SQUARE
The ice had such a chilling effect on fire to
keep it away from gasoline and
dynamite near by
Germany Twp., June 27.—Samuel
Eby and brother Willie, formerly of
this place, but now of Baltimore, Md.,
are visiting friends in this vicinity.
It would seem that the mass of old
buildings on and around the South
East corner of the diamond, in Little-
stown, are doomed.
There was another fire since the one
in the Allenan Store. This time the
roof was burned off of the ice house
standing in the rear of the Buckley
grocery store. There were several
barrels of gasoline and a quantity of
dynamite stored close to this ice house
by the grocery and hardware men.
It was fortunate that the fire first
tackled the ice house, that no doubt
had a chilling effect on it, but had the
fire gotten a taste of gasoline and
dynamite the result might have been
disastrous.
James Stehr, with a pocket knife,
cut an ugly gash in his right leg below
the knee.
Chas. W. Bucher lost a large porker,
by death, one day last week.
Die gulden arken is wieder doe,
Die hoyet is ferbie.
Dia gultena felder goocka shae,
Und moriger gana mere minie.
C. D. B.

BEES GO TO MOUNTAINS.
Cashtown June 28.—Elmer Stover,
who has been working in a railroad
office at New Durham, N. J. the last
year is home on a visit.
Miss Henrietta Miller had her house
in Cashtown newly painted last week.
The early cherry crop is about over,
the late or natural cherries are a big
crop. The trees are very full and the
cherries are fine.
There are a great many hands from
this neighborhood gone to Franklin
county and Maryland to harvest.
Hiram F. Heiges who is repairing
his house in Hilltown has had the
plasterers to put on the first coat.
There were a great many swarms of
bees seen going to the mountains this
spring.
The potato bug was slow in making
its appearance, but they are here all
the same, not as plentiful yet as some
years.
We are having fine growing weather
at this time, there has been very little
hay made through here on account of
the weather not being favorable.
A Pig With one Ear
Barlow, June 27.—J. Wm. Maring
was presented with a litter of eleven
pigs on last Sunday. Among them
was one with a full developed ear on
the side of the head where the ear
ought to be and on the other side of the
head there was not the least indication
of an ear.
Miss Lillie Shryock, of Waynesboro,
is visiting home of J. F. Sharetts.

REDUCED RATES TO DETROIT
Via Pennsylvania Railroad Account National
Convention Baptist Young People's
Union of America.
For the benefit of those desiring to
attend the National Convention Bap-
tist Young People's Union of America,
to be held at Detroit, Mich., July 7 to
10, the Pennsylvania Railway Com-
pany will sell round-trip tickets from
all stations on its lines to Detroit, July
5 to 7, inclusive, good going on those
dates and good to return until July
12, inclusive, at rate of a single fare
for the round trip, plus \$2.00. By
depositing tickets with special agent
at Detroit on or before July 10, and
payment of fifty cents, an extension
of final return limit may be obtained
to leave Detroit not later than August
15. For specific rates and full infor-
mation concerning stop-overs, consult
nearest ticket agent.

Lutheran Reunion at Brookside.
An elaborate program has been pre-
pared for the great annual reunion of
Lutherans of York and York county
at Brookside on Friday, July 8th. The
exercises open at 9 a. m. with an hour
concert by the Red Lion Silver Cornet
Band, and followed by a half hour
concert by a large orchestra, specially
trained for the occasion. 10.30 to noon
is the children's hour presided over by
Rev. A. A. Parr of Spring Grove, with
addresses by Dr. F. P. Manhart and
Dr. Marion J. Kline. From 1 to 2 p.
m. follows a second band concert.
The grand reunion takes place at 2 p.
m. presided over by Dr. Geo. W. En-
ders, with addresses by Dr. J. A.
Clutz and Dr. J. A. Singmaster of this
place and Dr. Albert H. Studebaker of
Baltimore. From 4 to 5 p. m. will be

DEATH OF MRS. JESSIE SPANGLER
Harrisburg, Md. June 28.—J. Maurice
Eckenrode, a student at Mt. St. Mary's
College, Emmitsburg, is home for his
summer vacation.
Edgar Staub of W. Va. is spending
a few weeks at his home in this place.
Scott Study of Montana is spending
several weeks with friends in this
place.
David Hess purchased a new binder
last week.
W. C. Wolff was the guest of W. G.
Weikert and family of near Gettysburg
on Sunday.
Mrs. Jessie Spangler, whose serious
illness was announced last week, died
on Thursday, June the 23d, from the
effects of a stroke of apoplexy, aged
about 84 years. She is survived by
two sons and two daughters, Daniel
and Mrs. Benjamin Sterner of Harris-
burg, Jonas of Montana, and Mrs. Jeffer-
son Hess of this place. Funeral
services were held at St. Paul's Luth-
eran Church this place on Sunday
morning June 26, Rev. A. B. Mower
officiating. Interment at Mt. Carmel
Cemetery, Littlestown.
Wesley G. Weikert and wife and
Mrs. Andrew Weikert of near Gettys-
burg, and Mrs. John Hoyer and daugh-
ter Irene of Harrisburg spent Wednes-
day as the guests of Jos. Wolf and
family.
Luther Kelley sports a new buggy.
The bridge over Alloways Creek near
this place is almost completed. It is
expected to be in crossing condition by
former part of next week. W. C. W.

FARM NOTES FROM LOWER END
Last Berlin June 28.—Peter C.
Smith has his lot of rye on shock.
Farmers talk of commencing to cut
wheat and certain days this week have
been decided on to begin work.
Some farmers are complaining that
heads of wheat are not well filled, that
some heads are only half filled.
A number of farmers are done mak-
ing hay. Corn looks well.
Candidates are looking up their dele-
gates already.
A. H. Phillips and wife were in York
on Sunday.
J. B. Martin and family attended the
funeral of John Eicholtz near New
Chester on Sunday.
N. E. Baughman and wife of Dover
visited their son-in-law, Mr. Feiser, on
Sunday. Harry Baughman and wife
spent same day with latter's mother,
and Mrs. Amos Jacobs and James
Strickler and family were with P. P.
Eisenhart.
Guests of the Sunday House from
York on Sunday were Postmaster G.
Loucks, Mr. Shive and wife, Miss
Shaffer and Miss Brown. The follow-
ing from York visited friends on same
day, William Gipe, Edward Myers,
Harry Hoffheins, Mrs. Bert Weist,
daughter and grandchildren.

EXCURSIONS ON W. M. R. R.
July 3, Baltimore to Gettysburg,
German American Lincoln Club.
July 17, Baltimore to Gettysburg,
Grand Mutual Order Brothers and Sis-
ters of Job.
July 24, Baltimore to Gettysburg,
W. M. R. R.
July 24, York to Gettysburg, Young
Men's Democratic Society.
July 31, Baltimore to Gettysburg,
Galilean Fishermen (colored).
August 14, Baltimore to Gettysburg,
Collins Div. 5 O. R. Conductors.
Almost Asphyxiated
E. Blaine Bikle, a prominent young
man and son of Cashier John L. Bikle,
Hagerstown, and a nephew of Dr. P.
M. Bikle of this place narrowly es-
caped death from asphyxiation at his
home in Hagerstown, on a recent Sun-
day morning. A sister of Mr. Bikle
was about to leave the house for church
when she detected an odor of gas com-
ing from her brother's room. She op-
ened the door and found the room
closed and the gas jet turned on. Air
was quickly let into the room and a
physician summoned. After hard
work the physician was able to resus-
cite the young man and he will get
well. He holds a responsible position
with the Roulette Knitting Company,
in Hagerstown, and is to be married
soon to Miss Woodruff, Pittsburg.

Broke Bone in His Nose.
John Colestock, son of George Cole-
stock, the auctioneer, who lives on the
Hafer farm near Abbottstown, while
unloading hay with a hay fork last
week, was thrown from the load by
the connecting rope breaking. He was
thrown down on the barn floor on his
face, breaking a bone in his nose and
injuring himself otherwise.

LIGHTNING STRUCK A TREE
IN FRONT OF HOUSE OF JOHN MACKLEY
AND SHOCKED MRS. MACKLEY
Calvin Kump While Chopping Wood Cut Off
One Toe and Almost Severed
Another
Virginia Mills, June 28.—There
will be preaching service in the U. B.
church July 3rd by the pastor, Rev.
W. L. Martin, of Thurmont, Md.
Last Thursday while chopping wood
Calvin Kump had the misfortune to
cut off one of his toes and almost sever
another. Dr. Glenn rendered neces-
sary aid.
A very severe storm passed over
this section last Sunday. Lightning
struck a large walnut tree near Wm.
Kepner's barn, also struck a tree near
the home of John Mackley. Mrs.
Mackley, who was standing on the
porch at the time, was slightly
shocked.
Jerre Shafer, of Table Rock, was the
guest of his sister, Mrs. John Kepner
last week.
J. F. M. Mickle, of Orrtanna, was
the guest of J. O. Mickle and family
on Sunday.
Wm. Kint and daughter, Miss Liz-
zie, visited friends here on Sunday.
Miss Blanche Stoops, of Gettysburg
and her brother Shover Stoops, of near
Orrtanna, are visiting their cousin,
Miss Elanche Kepner.
Miss Julia Kint, of Martinsburg, W.
Va. is spending some time with her
parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Kint.
Miss Mary Currens, of Highfield,
spent Sunday with her mother.
Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Kepner and
daughters Misses Mamie and Alice,
Mr. and Mrs. Reuben Kepner and
daughters Mollie and Blanche, J. C.
Sites and daughter Edna, O. B. Light-
ner, wife and daughter Tressie, Mr.
and Mrs. John Kump, John, Will and
Roy Kepner and Charles Chamber-
lain, all of this place, attended the
United Brethren re-union at Pen-Mar
on Saturday.
The members of the United Brethren
Sunday School held their "Childrens
Day" service on a recent Sunday.
The service was well attended and en-
joyed by all.
The members of the Church of God
held a successful festival for the benefit
of the church.
A number of people of this com-
munity are afflicted with the
mumps.
Ed and Harry Singley have moved
their shingle mill to Charles Sites
tract of timber and will saw for him.
John Baker, our supervisor, has had
a number of men at work on our
roads.
J. O. and E. O. Mickle are busily
engaged, hauling and shipping bark.
Mrs. Harry Weikert, of Hanover, is
visiting her parents Mr. and Mrs. E.
E. King.
Miss Tressie Kump has gone to
Hagerstown, where she will remain
for some time.
Miss Annie Daywalt, of Smithsburg,
is spending some time with her par-
ents Mr. and Mrs. Jere Daywalt.
Misses Katie and Janie Mickle
have returned from a trip to Gettys-
burg.
John Currens, of near Orrtanna,
visited his brother Jas. Currens and
family recently.
Mrs. John Dixon and daughter Mrs.
Jennie Tompson, of Martinsburg, W.
Va. who were visiting Mr. and Mrs.
John Kint have returned home.
Thomas McCahey, of Steelton, John
McCahey, wife and children, of
Waynesboro, were guests of George
Shover and family last week.
Among recent visitors at J. O. Mick-
ley's were Rev. W. L. Martin, of
Thurmont, Md., D. Benchoff, of Char-
man, Misses Virgie Stultz and Fannie
Spence, of near Orrtanna.

UGLY WEED IN WESTERN SEED
Arendtsville, June 27.—The Luth-
eran congregation of this place had
the interior of their church painted.
Edward Raffensperger had his home
tastefully painted.
Geo. Sillick is operating his steam
saw mill in a tract of woodland near
this place that he recently purchased
from Dr. J. P. Breneman of York, Pa.
Some of our farmers who bought
Western seed oats last spring are now
going over their oats fields and pull-
ing up a noxious yellow blossom weed
that they think will be hard to des-
troy.
Prof. Grant Derborch, wife and
daughter, of Johnsburg, were recent
visitors at John N. Boyers.
Miss Lizzie and Lucinda Sheely of
Philadelphia, are visiting their mother
Mrs. John Lupp.
Mrs. Daniel Wolff of Spring Run is
spending a few weeks with her son,
Dr. Wm. E. Wolf in this place.
Chaimier and Eddy two sons of Rev.
I. B. Crist of Mays Landing, N. J.,
were recent visitors among friends
here.
Miss Sarah Merriman and Miss M.
Smith two trained nurses of Philadel-
phia are visitors at Dr. Merriman's.

BUILD UP your Health and STRENGTH with
JAYNE'S TONIC VERMIFUGE,
a pleasant, potent, and permanent invigorator for WOMEN,
CHILDREN, and MEN.
—Get it from your Druggist.

TROLLEY PROSPECTS IN THE VALLEY

CHAMBERSBURG AND GETTYSBURG TROLLEY MOVING TOWARD LATTER POINT

Contract Given to A. W. Cole for Ties to Bring Trolley to Line of the State Forestry Reservation

Buchanan Valley, June 27.—The people of the Valley are all anxiously waiting the proceedings of the Chambersburg and Gettysburg electric railway. It would be a great convenience to a great number of people if it would run through the Valley, but if it came within two and a half miles it would be much better than to be without any. As we are now situated it is seven miles to the nearest railroad station and over the mountain is anything but convenient. A. W. Cole has taken the contract to furnish 5,000 trolley ties to finish the road to the line of the State reservation. Sincerely hoping all injunctions may be released, and all agreements made amicably, that the road may proceed to Gettysburg, is the wish of a people who have no conveniences in the railway line.

We expect the telephone in the near future. Oh! What a great convenience it will be to us all.

Theodore Kimpke has fenced in the ground opposite the picnic grounds with a board fence for pasturage.

George Shepard and family, living in the Valley, are pleased to hear of the promising condition of Mrs. Edward McCleary, who was operated on for appendicitis in Baltimore recently. Mrs. McCleary is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Shepard.

We have cool days and hot ones the past week, also some very cool nights. Miss Elsie Martin of Gettysburg is spending some time with her sister, Mrs. A. W. Cole.

Geo. Knouse and John Steinberger have gone to Franklin county to harvest.

DR. MUMMA ABLE TO TAKE DRIVES

Bendersville, July 27.—Miss Pearl Reed recently returned from Middletown, Conn., to her home and was married to Otis Eddy of same place, on last Tuesday evening. They expect to make their future home in Middletown, Conn.

Mrs. Eliza Taylor has left for the West where she expects to visit friends and attend the World's Fair.

Miss Mabel Deiter spent last week among relatives in Arendtsville.

D. B. Allen, editor of "Adams County Independent," was a visitor in town last week.

Mrs. Ruth Wahley is still confined to her bed through illness.

Charles Myers and family of Carlisle, are spending a week with his mother on R. R. street.

After completing his course on Forestry at Yale College W. G. Weigle returned home last week where he expects to spend a short vacation.

After being confined to his bed through illness for the past three or four months, Dr. E. W. Mumma is now able to take a short drive out through the country.

Our two bands, the Bendersville Union and P. O. S. of A. attended the festival at Arendtsville on last Saturday night.

The Union Band will hold a festival in this place next Saturday evening.

IRON SPRINGS HAPPENINGS.

Iron Springs, June 21.—Miss Sarah Musser, from Shippensburg and Mrs. Clark Marshall from Fairfield were recent callers upon Lola and Gifford Hummelbaugh.

B. J. Reed made a business trip to Gettysburg recently.

Mrs. Laura Herman, of Gettysburg, was a recent caller on her mother, Mrs. Chas. Reed, Sr.

Mrs. Harry Gallagher and child, from Fairfield, Mrs. Oliver McLeaf, Mrs. Chas. Musselman and Mrs. Mahala Watson, from the same place, were visiting relatives recently at this place.

Miss Sarah Reed, who had been visiting relatives at Shippensburg and Waynesboro has returned home.

Henry Peters made a business trip to Gettysburg recently.

Mr. Wavell, wife and child, of Gettysburg, were callers of James Izer and family on last Sunday.

Mrs. Harry Gallagher and two children of Fairfield, visited her father-in-law, Jacob Gallagher, and family, on Thursday last.

Miss Amelia Wolfe of Orrtanna, spent last Sunday as the guest of Lola Hummelbaugh.

The raising of John Reese's new barn took place on last Thursday under the supervision of Harry Gallagher of Fairfield.

Among the people from this place who attended the V. R. reunion at Pen-Mar on Saturday, June 25, were Misses Maud Reed, Lola and Gifford Hummelbaugh.

Miss Maud Hessler of Cashtown, is busily engaged sewing for Mrs. C. Bennett.

Wilson Hummelbaugh of this place, is visiting in Franklin county.

A very pleasant surprise party was held at the home of Wm. Wolfe's of

Orrtanna, on Thursday, June 23, in honor of Miss Amelia's seventeenth birthday. Delightful games were indulged in after which they were all invited to the dining room where a table laden with refreshments, such as cakes, ice cream, bananas etc., were partaken. At a late hour they all returned home wishing her many more happy birthdays. The following were present: Albert Keady, wife and two children, May and Olive, Will Linn and wife, George Cease, wife and daughter Virgie, Will Hentzelman, wife and four children, Everett, Carrie, Elizabeth and Clarence, Mrs. Cecil Nary, Mrs. McGrail, Mrs. J. C. Nary and son Quay, Mrs. Anson Gruver and son Edward, David Sharrah and three children, Susie, Edward and Waldo, Misses Mary and Nettie Linn, Annie Nary, Maud Sowers, Alva Metz, Grace Miller, Stelle and Nellie Linn, Hannah and Annie Cease, Fannie Spence, Blanche Stoops, Mame Weikert, Clara Baumgardner and Stella Mickley. Messrs. Charles Spence, Shover Stoops, John Nary, Bernie Spence, Norman Baumgardner, John Mills and John Pepple.

Miss McKee Hassler of Cashtown, while visiting Lola and Gifford Hummelbaugh over last Sunday, killed a large blacksnake at the barn measuring 3 feet, 3 inches.

There was a picnic at Fairfield in the M. E. Church grounds, on Sunday, at 2:30 p. m. The Rev. J. C. H. Myers of Fountaindale, was the special attraction.

DEATH OF MRS. W. A. RESEER

East Berlin, June 27.—On Sunday last Grace Reigle, about 60 years of age, died at her home, after a long illness. She was the widow of Wm. A. Reseer, and was the mother of several children.

Last week L. J. Bosserman, Carrier of R. F. D. No. 1, lost by death from a horse which he had but recently bought.

Communion services will be held in the Lutheran Church next Sunday, both morning and evening.

Mary Robinson of Littlestown, who had been acting sorely in the wrapper factory here returned home on Friday, and Miss Renicker of Baltimore has charge now.

The young people of our town have recently organized a Lawn Tennis Association. The membership is now twenty-four, and tournaments are being held on the school campus. John C. Myers is President, Katie Hartman, secretary, and Fannie Bushey, treasurer of the club.

On Sunday evening while a thunder gust passed over this place, lightning struck the barn on Wm. H. Grogg's farm. It did small damage to the building but killed a heifer for Bert Stambaugh, the tenant.

Mrs. Anna M. Resser, wife of Wm. W. Resser, died on Thursday morning last, after a prolonged illness of dropsy. Her body was buried on Sunday afternoon in the Union Cemetery. Rev. R. H. Clare officiated. Her age was 41 years, 7 months and 28 days; she leaves a husband and four children, all at home.

John Broderick is building an addition to the barn on his Reading township farm.

John C. Myers, a student at Ursinus College came home on Saturday. He expects to remain with his parents during vacation.

The Lutheran congregation held a festival on the schoolground, on a recent Saturday evening which was largely attended. Receipts about \$35. This congregation intends to repair its church building by putting on a new roof, painting and otherwise improving it at an estimated cost of three to four hundred dollars.

Rev. Charles Brown of Abilene, Kansas is visiting his relatives and friends in this vicinity. He preached in the Brethren Meeting House on Sunday morning and evening.

H. W. King, Dr. H. B. Hoechst, L. W. Feiser, Ezra L. Burgard, John P. Resser, J. W. Frommeyer and John Anthony attended the Great Council of I. O. O. F. of Pennsylvania which held its Annual Session at Harrisburg recently.

TWO-HORSE LOAD OF HAY FOR \$6

White Hall, June 27.—Congratulations on new COMMERCE. It is certainly a very marked improvement.

A game of base ball was played on Saturday on the grounds of Edward Baker near Sweet Home school house between the Bonneauville team and the Littlestown Silk Mill team. The latter won 18 to 15.

On Sunday evening June 26th Lutheran Children's Day services were held in St. Luke's Church. The house was crowded, the music superb and the children and young ladies engaged in the exercises acquitted themselves well. Every one came away well pleased, and the pastor, officers of the school and every one engaged in getting up the program deserve the thanks of the community in getting up such a pleasing and edifying entertainment. We are in the midst of hay making. The grass is good and a fine quality of hay has been made. Hay is selling cheap. I saw a large two-horse load of excellent hay sold for \$6. Harvest will be here in a few days. The grain field are looking fine and more than an average crop will be harvested.

AROUND ABOUT ABBOTTSTOWN

MRS. NICKY FELL FROM STEPLADDER AND BROKE LEG

Of Those Who Come and Go To and From One of the Oldest Towns in the County

Abbottstown, June 27.—Mrs. Sharon E. Smith and daughter of Hanover were the guests of D. Guy Hollinger and family last week.

Mrs. Jacob Nicky, while picking cherries, had the misfortune to fall from the stepladder on which she was standing and break her leg. We are glad to hear that she is getting along nicely.

Quite a few of our people attended the excursion to Baltimore on Thursday.

Percy Kohler and family of New York, who was visiting his mother, Mrs. Caroline Kohler of this place, returned home on Friday.

Miss Janet Song of Hagerstown is the guest of Miss Annie Song of White Gables.

Mrs. J. B. Carns and son Ira visited friends in Hanover on Wednesday.

St. John's Lutheran Sunday School of this place will hold their annual picnic at Dick's Grove July 30.

Miss Annie Eisenhart, Rosie Miller and guest, Miss Annie Pottelger of Spaworth Point, spent Tuesday in Hanover.

George Hollinger, who has about completed a course in electric engineering, is now ready to do all kinds of jobs. Give him a trial.

G. M. Freed made a business trip to Baltimore Thursday.

Miss Louise Stahl, who has been the guest of E. P. Miller and family for the past two weeks, returned to her home in Gettysburg Thursday.

A very pleasant social was held at the home of Henry Waltman of near town on Saturday evening by the Catechumen's Sodality of Emanuel's Reformed Church of this place.

Children's Day services were observed in the Lutheran Church on Sunday morning. Great credit must be given the children for their work.

Rev. Frantz of Spring Grove preached in the Reformed Church on Sunday morning in the German language.

DESPERATE FIGHT FOR LIFE.

To Escape Death by Drowning by Two Adams County Citizens

During the heavy rain storm on Sunday evening of last week there was a narrow escape from drowning in Liberty township. Flat Run near residence of David Guise was a torrent.

David Beard, an aged farmer of Liberty township and his son Howard Beard, were driving in a buggy and tried to cross the stream at the usual shallow fording. In their effort to cross the stream, the strong current upset their buggy and they were thrown into the water. The men, horse and buggy were being rapidly carried down the creek, and after much effort to save themselves from their perilous position Howard was fortunate enough to work his way out of the water to a place of safety.

Mr. Beard succeeded in catching hold of some bushes or a tree, to which he held fast until a number of men of that vicinity, who were notified of his perilous condition, arrived and who, after waiting some time for the water to fall, with much effort succeeded in getting him out of the water. Both Mr. Beard and his son were uninjured. The horse and buggy were not found until sometime on Monday morning, and when found the horse was nearly half a mile down the creek from the fording, where the buggy was upset. The horse was uninjured but the buggy was considerably broken.

BREAKING COGWHEEL STOPS PLANT

Biglerville June 25.—John Kerr and family, of Carlisle, spent Sunday with the family of R. M. Reary, on Penn St.

Wm. E. Bowers, of Waynesboro, spent a few days with his parents S. N. Bowers and wife.

The Silk brick plant was compelled to close down on Friday for a few days on account of the breaking of a large cog wheel.

The farmers of this section are still selling old hay. A. L. Hoffman our bustling dealer shipped 5 cars on Saturday.

John D. Francis, at Menallen, is making extensive improvements to his residence.

John Peters Esq., of Mt. Holly Springs, spent Sunday here.

FESTIVAL — McCurdy's Sunday School

School will hold their festival on Saturday evening, July 2nd at the school house, near Greenmount.

Will's Merchant Tailor store will be closed from June 27 to Sept. 1 at 6 o'clock in the evening, Saturday nights excepted.

Wanted—An experienced trouser maker or a lady to learn the trade. It

REPORT

OF the condition of the "GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK," at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 9, 1904.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$878,635 77
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	51 15
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	25,000 00
Banking-house, furniture & fixtures	13,000 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	10,801 41
Due from State banks and bankers	2,509 98
Due from approved reserve agents	116,737 82
Checks and other cash items	200 00
Notes of other National Banks	200 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	10 47
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	31,345 00
Legal-tender notes	13,200 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	1,250 60
Total	\$1,086,821 58
LIABILITIES	
Capital stock paid in	\$100,000 00
Surplus fund	105,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	39,329 81
National Bank notes outstanding	25,000 00
Due to other National Banks	4,449 59
Due to Trust Companies and Savings Banks	2,265 21
Due to approved reserve agents	704 00
Dividends unpaid	153,819 64
Individual deposits subject to check	653,989 03
Demand certificates of deposit	653,989 03
Total	\$1,086,821 58

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS.

I, SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

SAMUEL M. BUSHMAN, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June 1904.

H. G. WILLIAMS, N. P. CORRECT—Attest: G. H. TROSTEL, S. McALLEN, HERNER, ALEX. SPANGLER, Directors.

REPORT

OF the condition of the "GETTYSBURG NATIONAL BANK," at Gettysburg, in the State of Pennsylvania, at the close of business, June 9, 1904.

RESOURCES.	
Loans and discounts	\$877,477 82
Overdrafts, secured and unsecured	623 71
U. S. Bonds to secure circulation	145,000 00
Bonds, securities, etc.	17,873 78
Banking-house, furniture & fixtures	11,211 00
Other real estate	275 00
Due from National Banks (not reserve agents)	2,384 64
Due from State Banks and Bankers	2,555 84
Due from approved reserve agents	103,118 00
Checks and other cash items	425 57
Notes of other national banks	14,585 00
Fractional paper currency, nickels and cents	69 12
LAWFUL MONEY RESERVE IN BANK, VIZ:	
Specie	31,630 00
Legal-tender notes	15,250 00
Redemption fund with U. S. Treasurer (5 per cent. of circulation)	7,250 00
Total	\$1,239,759 02
LIABILITIES.	
Capital stock paid in	\$145,150 00
Surplus fund	100,000 00
Undivided profits, less expenses and taxes paid	17,154 47
National Bank notes outstanding	143,150 00
Due to other national banks	7,739 83
Due to State banks and bankers	1,182 11
Due to approved reserve agents	1,182 11
Dividends unpaid	1,913 50
Individual deposits subject to check	194,902 10
Demand certificates of deposit	628,577 74
Total	\$1,239,759 02

State of Pennsylvania, County of Adams, SS.

I, J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier of the above named bank, do solemnly swear that the above statement is true to the best of my knowledge and belief.

J. EMORY BAIR, Cashier. Subscribed and sworn to before me this 15th day of June 1904. LEO F. STOCK, N. P. CORRECT—Attest: W. M. McSHERRY, DONALD F. McPHERSON, HARRY C. PICKING, Directors.

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EXECUTOR'S NOTICE.

MARY H. SHERIFF'S ESTATE.—Letters testamentary on the estate of MARY H. SHERIFF, late of Gettysburg borough, Adams county, Pa., deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. Or his attorney, JACOB I. HERBERGER, J. L. Butt, Esq., Gettysburg, R. F. D. 4, June 29 04.

ADMINISTRATOR'S NOTICE

HENRY WIRT'S ESTATE.—Letters of administration with the will annexed on the estate of HENRY WIRT, late of Shaban township, deceased, having been granted to the undersigned, he hereby gives notice to all persons indebted to said estate to make immediate payment, and those having claims against the same to present them properly authenticated for settlement. HENRY WIRT, Or his attorney, C. S. Duncan, Esq., Gettysburg, R. F. D. 4, June 29 04. Administrator, c. t. a.

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